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(As Amended by Sen. Amdt. Schs. "A" & "B" and House Amdt. Sch. "A")

"AN ACT CONCERNING GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Subsection (b) of section 9-168d of the general statutes is
4 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
5 *January 1, 2007*):

6 (b) The registrars of voters in each town, or the legislative body of
7 the town, shall select as polling places only those sites which meet the
8 standards of accessibility required under the State Building Code, as
9 revised pursuant to section 29-269, if applicable, or this section. The
10 registrars of voters in each town shall file with the Secretary of the
11 State either: (1) A certification, as prescribed by the Secretary of the

12 State, that states that each polling place selected complies with the
13 provisions set forth in this subsection, or (2) an application for waiver,
14 as described in subsection (c) of this section.

15 Sec. 502. Section 9-388 of the general statutes is repealed and the
16 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2007*):

17 Whenever a convention of a political party is held for the
18 endorsement of candidates for nomination to state or district office,
19 each candidate endorsed at such convention shall file with the
20 Secretary of the State a certificate, signed by him, stating that he was
21 endorsed by such convention, his name as he authorizes it to appear
22 on the ballot, his full residence address and the title and district, if
23 applicable, of the office for which he was endorsed. Such certificate
24 shall be attested by either (1) the chairman or presiding officer, or (2)
25 the secretary of such convention and shall be received by the Secretary
26 of the State not later than four o'clock p.m. on the fourteenth day after
27 the close of such convention. Such certificate shall either be mailed to
28 the Secretary of the State by certified mail, return receipt requested, or
29 delivered in person, in which case a receipt indicating the date and
30 time of delivery shall be provided by the Secretary of the State to the
31 person making delivery. If a certificate of a party's endorsement for a
32 particular state or district office is not received by the Secretary of the
33 State by such time, such certificate shall be invalid and such party, for
34 purposes of section 9-416 and section 9-416a shall be deemed to have
35 made no endorsement of any candidate for such office. If applicable,
36 the chairman of a party's state convention shall, forthwith upon the
37 close of such convention, file with the Secretary of the State the names
38 and full residence addresses of persons selected by such convention as
39 the nominees of such party for electors of President and Vice-President
40 of the United States in accordance with the provisions of section 9-175.

41 Sec. 503. Section 9-391 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes
42 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
43 *January 1, 2007*):

44 (a) Each endorsement of a candidate to run in a primary for the
45 nomination of candidates for municipal office to be voted upon at a
46 municipal election, or for the election of town committee members
47 shall be made under the provisions of section 9-390, as amended by
48 this act, not earlier than the fifty-sixth day or later than the forty-ninth
49 day preceding the day of such primary. The endorsement shall be
50 certified to the clerk of the municipality by either (1) the chairman or
51 presiding officer, [and] or (2) the secretary of the town committee,
52 caucus or convention, as the case may be, not later than four o'clock
53 p.m. on the forty-eighth day preceding the day of such primary. Such
54 certification shall contain the name and street address of each person
55 so endorsed, the title of the office or the position as committee member
56 and the name or number of the political subdivision or district, if any,
57 for which each such person is endorsed. If such a certificate of a party's
58 endorsement is not received by the town clerk by such time, such
59 certificate shall be invalid and such party, for purposes of sections 9-
60 417, 9-418, as amended, and 9-419, shall be deemed to have neither
61 made nor certified such endorsement of any candidate for such office.

62 (b) Each selection of delegates to a state or district convention shall
63 be made in accordance with the provisions of section 9-390, as
64 amended by this act, not earlier than the one-hundred-fortieth day and
65 not later than the one-hundred-thirty-third day preceding the day of
66 the primary for such state or district office. Such selection shall be
67 certified to the clerk of the municipality by the chairman or presiding
68 officer and the secretary of the town committee or caucus, as the case
69 may be, not later than four o'clock p.m. on the one-hundred-thirty-
70 second day preceding the day of such primary. Each such certification
71 shall contain the name and street address of each person so selected,
72 the position as delegate, and the name or number of the political
73 subdivision or district, if any, for which each such person is selected. If
74 such a certificate of a party's selection is not received by the town clerk
75 by such time, such certificate shall be invalid and such party, for
76 purposes of sections 9-417 and 9-420, shall be deemed to have neither
77 made nor certified any selection of any person for the position of

78 delegate.

79 (c) Each endorsement of a candidate to run in a primary for the
80 nomination of candidates for a municipal office to be voted upon at a
81 state election shall be made under the provisions of section 9-390, as
82 amended by this act, not earlier than the eighty-fourth day or later
83 than the seventy-seventh day preceding the day of such primary. Any
84 certification to be filed under this subsection shall be received by the
85 Secretary of the State, in the case of a candidate for the office of state
86 senator or state representative, or the town clerk, in the case of a
87 candidate for any other municipal office to be voted upon at a state
88 election, not later than four o'clock p.m. on the fourteenth day after the
89 close of the town committee meeting, caucus or convention, as the case
90 may be. If such a certificate of a party's endorsement is not received by
91 the Secretary of the State or the town clerk, as the case may be, by such
92 time, such certificate shall be invalid and such party, for the purposes
93 of sections 9-417 and 9-418, as amended, shall be deemed to have
94 neither made nor certified any endorsement of any candidate for such
95 office. The candidate so endorsed for a municipal office to be voted
96 upon at a state election, other than the office of justice of the peace,
97 shall file with the Secretary of the State or the town clerk, as the case
98 may be, a certificate, signed by that candidate, stating that such
99 candidate was so endorsed, the candidate's name as the candidate
100 authorizes it to appear on the ballot, the candidate's full street address
101 and the title and district of the office for which the candidate was
102 endorsed. Such certificate shall be attested by the chairman or
103 presiding officer and the secretary of the town committee, caucus or
104 convention which made such endorsement. The endorsement of
105 candidates for the office of justice of the peace shall be certified to the
106 clerk of the municipality by the chairman or presiding officer and the
107 secretary of the town committee, caucus or convention, and shall
108 contain the name and street address of each person so endorsed and
109 the title of the office for which each such person is endorsed.

110 Sec. 504. Section 9-404a of the general statutes is repealed and the
111 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2007*):

112 Petition forms for candidacies for nomination by a political party to
113 a state office, as defined in section 9-372, or the district office of
114 representative in Congress shall be available from the Secretary of the
115 State beginning on the one-hundred-fifth day preceding the day of the
116 primary for such state and district offices. Petition forms for
117 candidacies for nomination by a political party to the district office of
118 judge of probate, state senator or state representative shall be available
119 from the Secretary of the State beginning on the [day following the
120 close of the district convention held for the purpose of nominating
121 such party's candidate for such office] seventy-seventh day preceding
122 the day of the primary for such office. Any person who requests a
123 petition form shall give the person's name and address and the name,
124 address and office sought of each candidate for whom the petition is
125 being obtained and shall file a statement signed by each such
126 candidate that such candidate consents to be a candidate for such
127 office. Each such candidate shall include on the statement of consent
128 the candidate's name as the candidate authorizes it to appear on the
129 ballot. Upon receiving such information and statement, the Secretary
130 shall type or print on a petition form the name and address of each
131 such candidate, the office sought and the political party holding the
132 primary. The Secretary shall give to any person requesting such form
133 one or more petition pages, suitable for duplication, as the Secretary
134 deems necessary. If the person is requesting the form on behalf of an
135 indigent candidate or a group of indigent candidates listed on the
136 same petition, the Secretary shall give the person the number of
137 original pages that the person requests or the number which the
138 Secretary deems sufficient. An original petition page filled in by the
139 Secretary may be duplicated by or on behalf of the candidate or
140 candidates listed on the page and signatures may be obtained on such
141 duplicates. The duplicates may be filed in the same manner and shall
142 be subject to the same requirements as original petition pages. All
143 information relative to primary petitions shall be a public record.

144 Sec. 505. Subsection (d) of section 9-390 of the general statutes is
145 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*

146 *January 1, 2007*):

147 (d) The selection of party-endorsed candidates in the manner
148 provided in subsection (a) or (c) of this section and the selection of
149 delegates to conventions in the manner provided in subsection (b) of
150 this section shall be made and certified to the clerk of the municipality
151 or the Secretary of the State, as the case may be, within the time
152 specified in section 9-391, as amended by this act.

153 Sec. 506. Subsections (a) and (b) of section 9-400 of the general
154 statutes are repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof
155 (*Effective January 1, 2007*):

156 (a) A candidacy for nomination by a political party to a state office
157 may be filed by or on behalf of any person whose name appears upon
158 the last-completed enrollment list of such party in any municipality
159 within the state and who has either (1) received at least fifteen per cent
160 of the votes of the convention delegates present and voting on any roll-
161 call vote taken on the endorsement or proposed endorsement of a
162 candidate for such state office, whether or not the party-endorsed
163 candidate for such office received a unanimous vote on the last ballot,
164 or (2) circulated a petition and obtained the signatures of at least two
165 per cent of the enrolled members of such party in the state, in
166 accordance with the provisions of sections 9-404a to 9-404c, inclusive,
167 as amended by this act. Candidacies described in subdivision (1) of
168 this subsection shall be filed by submitting to the Secretary of the State
169 not later than four o'clock p.m. on the fourteenth day following the
170 close of the state convention, a certificate, signed by such candidate
171 and attested by either (A) the chairman or presiding officer, or (B) the
172 secretary of the convention, that such candidate received at least fifteen
173 per cent of such votes, and that such candidate consents to be a
174 candidate in a primary of such party for such state office. Such
175 certificate shall specify the candidate's name as the candidate
176 authorizes it to appear on the ballot, the candidate's full residence
177 address and the title of the office for which the candidacy is being
178 filed. A single such certificate or petition for state office may be filed

179 on behalf of two or more candidates for different state offices who
180 consent to have their names appear on a single row of the primary
181 ballot label under subsection (b) of section 9-437. Candidacies
182 described in subdivision (2) of this subsection shall be filed by
183 submitting said petition not later than four o'clock p.m. on the
184 [fourteenth] sixty-third day [following the close of the state
185 convention] preceding the day of the primary for such office to the
186 registrar of voters of the towns in which the respective petition pages
187 were circulated. Each registrar shall file each page of such petition with
188 the Secretary in accordance with the provisions of section 9-404c. A
189 petition filed by or on behalf of a candidate for state office shall be
190 invalid for such candidate if such candidate is certified as the party-
191 endorsed candidate pursuant to section 9-388, as amended by this act,
192 or as receiving at least fifteen per cent of the convention vote for such
193 office pursuant to this subsection. Except as provided in section 9-416a,
194 upon the expiration of the [fourteen-day period] time period for party
195 endorsement and circulation and [the completion of the] tabulation of
196 [petition] petitions and signatures, if any, if one or more candidacies
197 for such state office have been filed pursuant to the provisions of this
198 section, the Secretary of the State shall notify all town clerks in
199 accordance with the provisions of section 9-433, that a primary for
200 such state office shall be held in each municipality in accordance with
201 the provisions of section 9-415.

202 (b) A candidacy for nomination by a political party to a district
203 office may be filed by or on behalf of any person whose name appears
204 upon the last-completed enrollment list of such party within any
205 municipality or part of a municipality forming a component part of
206 such district and who has either (1) received at least fifteen per cent of
207 the votes of the convention delegates present and voting on any roll-
208 call vote taken on the endorsement or proposed endorsement of a
209 candidate for such district office, whether or not the party-endorsed
210 candidate for such office received a unanimous vote on the last ballot,
211 or (2) circulated a petition and obtained the signatures of at least two
212 per cent of the enrolled members of such party in the district for the

213 district office of representative in Congress, and at least five per cent of
214 the enrolled members of such party in the district for the district offices
215 of state senator, state representative and judge of probate, in
216 accordance with the provisions of sections 9-404a to 9-404c, inclusive,
217 as amended by this act. Candidacies described in subdivision (1) of
218 this subsection shall be filed by submitting to the Secretary of the State
219 not later than four o'clock p.m. on the fourteenth day following the
220 close of the district convention, a certificate, signed by such candidate
221 and attested by either (A) the chairman or presiding officer, or (B) the
222 secretary of the convention, that such candidate received at least fifteen
223 per cent of such votes, and that the candidate consents to be a
224 candidate in a primary of such party for such district office. Such
225 certificate shall specify the candidate's name as the candidate
226 authorizes it to appear on the ballot, the candidate's full residence
227 address and the title and district of the office for which the candidacy
228 is being filed. Candidacies described in subdivision (2) of this
229 subsection shall be filed by submitting said petition not later than four
230 o'clock p.m. on the [fourteenth] sixty-third day [following the close of
231 the district convention] preceding the day of the primary for such
232 office to the registrar of voters of the towns in which the respective
233 petition pages were circulated. Each registrar shall file each page of
234 such petition with the Secretary in accordance with the provisions of
235 section 9-404c. A petition may only be filed by or on behalf of a
236 candidate for the district office of state senator, state representative or
237 judge of probate who is not certified as the party-endorsed candidate
238 pursuant to section 9-388, as amended by this act, or as receiving at
239 least fifteen per cent of the convention vote for such office pursuant to
240 this subsection. A petition filed by or on behalf of a candidate for the
241 district office of representative in Congress shall be invalid if said
242 candidate is certified as the party-endorsed candidate pursuant to
243 section 9-388, as amended by this act, or as receiving at least fifteen per
244 cent of the convention vote for such office pursuant to this subsection.
245 Except as provided in section 9-416a, upon the expiration of the
246 [fourteen-day period] time period for party endorsement and
247 circulation and [the completion of the] tabulation of [petition] petitions

248 and signatures, if any, if one or more candidacies for such district
249 office have been filed pursuant to the provisions of this section, the
250 Secretary of the State shall notify all town clerks within the district, in
251 accordance with the provisions of section 9-433, that a primary for
252 such district office shall be held in each municipality and each part of a
253 municipality within the district in accordance with the provisions of
254 section 9-415.

255 Sec. 507. Subsection (a) of section 9-405 of the general statutes is
256 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
257 *January 1, 2007*):

258 (a) (1) Candidacies of persons other than party-endorsed candidates
259 for nomination by a political party to a municipal office to be voted
260 upon at a municipal election, or for election as town committee
261 members shall be filed with the registrar, as provided in section 9-406,
262 not later than four o'clock p.m. on the thirty-fourth day preceding the
263 day of the primary of such party for the nomination of candidates for
264 such office or for the election of town committee members. Said day
265 and hour shall be specified on the petition forms.

266 (2) Candidacies of persons, other than party-endorsed candidates,
267 for nomination by a political party to a municipal office to be voted
268 upon at a state election shall be filed with the registrars, as provided in
269 section 9-406, not later than four o'clock p.m. on the [fourteenth day
270 following the making of the party's endorsement of a candidate] sixty-
271 third day preceding the day of the primary for such office. Said day
272 and hour shall be specified on the petition forms.

273 Sec. 508. Section 9-249 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes
274 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
275 *from passage*):

276 (a) Before each election, the [municipal clerk,] registrars of voters,
277 certified moderator and certified mechanic shall instruct the election
278 officials. Any provision of the general statutes or of any special act to
279 the contrary notwithstanding, election officials shall be appointed at

280 least twenty days before the election except as provided in section 9-
281 229. The [clerk,] registrars, certified moderator and certified mechanic
282 shall instruct each election official who is to serve in a voting district in
283 which a voting machine is to be used in the use of the machine and his
284 duties in connection therewith, and for the purpose of giving such
285 instruction, such instructors shall call such meeting or meetings of the
286 election officials as are necessary. Such instructors shall, without delay,
287 file a report in the office of the municipal clerk and with the Secretary
288 of the State, (1) stating that they have instructed the election officials
289 named in the report and the time and place where such instruction
290 was given, and (2) containing a signed statement from each such
291 election official acknowledging that the official has received such
292 instruction.

293 (b) The election officials of such voting districts shall attend the
294 elections training program developed under subdivision (1) of
295 subsection (c) of section 9-192a, as amended, and any other meeting or
296 meetings as are called for the purpose of receiving such instructions
297 concerning their duties as are necessary for the proper conduct of the
298 election.

299 (c) Each election official who qualifies for and serves in the election
300 shall be paid not less than one dollar for the time spent in receiving
301 such instruction, in the same manner and at the same time as the
302 official is paid for the official's services on election day.

303 (d) No election official shall serve in any election unless the official
304 has received such instruction and is fully qualified to perform the
305 official's duties in connection with the election, but this shall not
306 prevent the appointment of an election official to fill a vacancy in an
307 emergency.

308 Sec. 509. Section 9-211 of the general statutes is repealed and the
309 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

310 In case of a vacancy in the office of senator in Congress, the
311 Governor is empowered to fill such vacancy by appointment as herein

312 provided. If such vacancy occurs [~~sixty~~] one hundred fifty or more
313 days prior to a state election, the appointee shall serve until the third
314 day of January following such election, and at such election there shall
315 be elected a senator in Congress to serve for the remaining portion, if
316 any, of the term vacated. If such vacancy occurs within less than [~~sixty~~]
317 one hundred fifty days of a state election and the term vacated does
318 not expire on the third day of January following such election, the
319 appointee shall serve until the third day of January following the next
320 such election but one, and at such next election but one there shall be
321 elected a senator in Congress to serve for the remaining portion, if any,
322 of the term vacated. If such vacancy occurs within less than [~~sixty~~] one
323 hundred fifty days of a state election and the term vacated expires on
324 the third day of January following, the appointee shall serve until such
325 third day of January.

326 Sec. 510. Subdivision (3) of section 9-450 of the 2006 supplement to
327 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
328 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

329 (3) In the case of a vacancy in the office of senator in Congress
330 occurring [~~seventy~~] one hundred fifty or more days prior to a state
331 election, the party-endorsed candidate of each party for such office
332 shall be designated at the state convention of such party held for the
333 endorsement of candidates for the state offices to be filled at such
334 election; contesting candidacies for nomination to such office shall be
335 filed not later than four o'clock p.m. on the [~~fourteenth~~] twenty-first
336 day following the close of such convention; and the primary of such
337 party for nomination to such office shall be held simultaneously with
338 the primaries of such party for nomination to the state and district
339 offices to be filled at such election. If, at the time such vacancy in the
340 office of senator in Congress occurs, such state convention has already
341 been closed, it shall be reconvened by call of the chairman of the state
342 central committee of such party, which call shall be mailed to each
343 delegate selected for such convention not less than seventy-two hours
344 prior to such reconvening; such reconvened convention shall be closed
345 not later than the tenth day following the occurrence of such vacancy.

346 The party-endorsed candidate of such party for such office shall be
347 designated at such reconvened convention. Contesting candidates for
348 nomination to such office shall be filed not later than four o'clock p.m.
349 on the [fifth] twenty-first day following the close of such reconvened
350 convention. If the primaries of such party for nomination to the state
351 and district offices to be filled at the state election are held not earlier
352 than the [twenty-eighth] forty-ninth day following the close of such
353 reconvened convention, the primary of such party for nomination to
354 the office of senator in Congress to fill such vacancy shall be held
355 simultaneously with the primaries of such party for nomination to
356 such state and district offices; otherwise, the Secretary of the State shall
357 fix the day for the primary of such party for such nomination to the
358 office of senator in Congress, which day shall be not earlier than the
359 [twenty-eighth] forty-ninth day following the close of such reconvened
360 convention and not later than the twenty-first day preceding the day of
361 the state election.

362 Sec. 511. Subsections (a) and (b) of section 9-46a of the 2006
363 supplement to the general statutes are repealed and the following is
364 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

365 (a) A person who has been convicted of a felony and committed to
366 confinement in a federal or other state correctional institution or
367 facility or community residence shall have such person's electoral
368 privileges restored upon [submission of written or other satisfactory
369 proof to the admitting official before whom such person presents his or
370 her qualifications to be admitted as an elector, that] the payment of all
371 fines in conjunction with the conviction [have been paid] and [that]
372 once such person has been discharged from confinement, and, if
373 applicable, parole.

374 (b) Upon the release from confinement in a correctional institution
375 or facility or a community residence of a person who has been
376 convicted of a felony and committed to the custody of the
377 Commissioner of Correction and, if applicable, the discharge of such
378 person from parole, (1) the person shall have the right to become an

379 elector, (2) the Commissioner of Correction shall give the person a
380 document certifying that the person has been released from such
381 confinement and, if applicable, has been discharged from parole, (3) if
382 the person was an elector at the time of such felony conviction and,
383 after such release and any such discharge, is residing in the same
384 municipality in which the person resided at the time of such felony
385 conviction, the person's electoral privileges shall be restored, [upon
386 submitting to an admitting official such document or other satisfactory
387 proof that the person has been released from such confinement and, if
388 applicable, discharged from parole,] and (4) if the person was an
389 elector at the time of such felony conviction and, after such release and
390 any such discharge, is residing in a different municipality or if the
391 person was not an elector at the time of such felony conviction, the
392 person's electoral privileges shall be restored or granted upon
393 submitting to an admitting official [(A)] satisfactory proof of the
394 person's qualifications to be admitted as an elector, [, and (B) such
395 document or other satisfactory proof that the person has been released
396 from confinement and, if applicable, discharged from parole.] The
397 provisions of subdivisions (1) to (4), inclusive, of this subsection shall
398 not apply to any person convicted of a felony for a violation of any
399 provision of this title until such person has been discharged from any
400 parole or probation for such felony. [No admitting official shall require
401 that a person under this subsection submit a document from the
402 Commissioner of Correction, as described in subdivision (2) of this
403 subsection, in order to prove that the person has been discharged from
404 confinement and, if applicable, discharged from parole.]

405 Sec. 512. Section 9-212 of the general statutes is repealed and the
406 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

407 (a) In case of a vacancy in the office of representative in Congress
408 from any district, the Governor, except as otherwise provided by law,
409 shall not more than ten days after the occurrence of such vacancy issue
410 writs of election directed to the town clerks or assistant town clerks, in
411 such district, ordering an election to be held on the sixtieth day after
412 the issue of such writs on a day, [named,] other than a Saturday or

413 Sunday, to fill such vacancy, [and] provided (1) if such a vacancy
414 occurs between the one hundred twenty-fifth day and the sixty-third
415 day before the day of a regular state or municipal election in
416 November of any year, the Governor shall so issue such writs on the
417 sixtieth day before the day of such regular election, ordering an
418 election to be held on the day of such regular election, (2) if such a
419 vacancy occurs after the sixty-third day before the day of a regular
420 state election but before the regular state election, the Governor shall
421 not issue such writs and no election shall be held under this section,
422 unless the position vacated is that of member-elect, in which case the
423 Governor shall issue such writs and an election shall be held as
424 provided in this section, and (3) if a primary for such office occurs
425 pursuant to subparagraph (C) of subdivision (1) of section 9-450, as
426 amended by this act, the Governor shall, within ten days following the
427 filing of a candidacy for nomination by a person other than the party-
428 endorsed candidate, issue new writs of election, in place of those first
429 issued pursuant to this section.

430 (b) The Governor shall cause [them] writs of election issued
431 pursuant to subsection (a) of this section to be conveyed to a state
432 marshal, who shall forthwith transmit an attested copy thereof to such
433 clerks or assistant clerks. Such clerks or assistant clerks, on receiving
434 such writs, shall warn elections to be held on the day appointed
435 therein in the same manner as state elections are warned, which
436 elections shall be organized and conducted as are state elections, and
437 the vote shall be declared, certified, directed, deposited, returned and
438 transmitted in the same manner as at a state election.

439 Sec. 513. Subdivision (1) of section 9-450 of the 2006 supplement to
440 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
441 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

442 [(1) (A) In the case of nominations for representatives in Congress
443 and judges of probate in probate districts composed of two or more
444 towns, provided for in sections 9-212 and 9-218, if the writs of election
445 are issued by the Governor on or before the twenty-first day of May in

446 an even-numbered year and the election is to be held on the day of the
447 state election in such year, the state central committee or other
448 authority of each party shall, not later than the twenty-fourth day of
449 May in such year, publish notice of the date for the selection of
450 delegates to the state or district convention to designate the party-
451 endorsed candidate for the office to be filled. Such selection shall be
452 made not earlier than the fifty-sixth day after publication of such
453 notice and not later than the fifth day before the convention. If such
454 writs of election are issued after the twenty-first day of May in such
455 year, or if the election is to be held on any day other than the day of the
456 state election, the day scheduled for the election shall be not earlier
457 than the ninety-first day following the day on which such writs of
458 election are issued. The state central committee or other authority of
459 each party shall, not later than the eighty-fourth day preceding the day
460 of the election, publish notice of the day for the selection of delegates
461 to the state or district convention to designate the party-endorsed
462 candidate for the office to be filled, which day shall be not earlier than
463 the twenty-eighth day following such publication and not later than
464 the fifty-sixth day preceding the day of the election. The selected
465 delegates to such convention shall be certified to the town clerks not
466 later than the twenty-first day preceding the day of such primary. The
467 state or district convention shall be convened not earlier than the fifth
468 day following such primary and closed not later than the forty-ninth
469 day preceding the day of the election. Contesting candidacies for
470 nomination to the office to be filled shall be filed not later than four
471 o'clock p.m. on the fifth day following the close of such convention.
472 The Secretary of the State shall fix the day for the primary of each
473 party for the nomination to the office to be filled, which day shall be
474 not earlier than the twenty-first day following the close of such
475 convention and not later than the twenty-first day preceding the day of
476 the election.]

477 (1) (A) In the case of nominations for representatives in Congress
478 and judges of probate in probate districts composed of two or more
479 towns, provided for in sections 9-212, as amended by this act, and 9-

480 218, the delegates to the convention for the last state election shall be
481 the delegates for the purpose of selecting a candidate to fill such
482 vacancy. If a vacancy occurs in the delegation from any town, political
483 subdivision or district, such vacancy may be filled by the town
484 committee of the town in which the delegate resided. Endorsements by
485 political party conventions pursuant to this subsection may be made
486 and certified at any time after the resignation or death creating such
487 vacancy and not later than the fiftieth day before the day of the
488 election. No such endorsement shall be effective until the presiding
489 officer and secretary of any district convention have certified the
490 endorsement to the Secretary of the State.

491 (B) If such a vacancy occurs between the one hundred twenty-fifth
492 day and the sixty-third day before the day of a regular state or
493 municipal election in November of any year, no primary shall be held
494 for the nomination of any political party and the party-endorsed
495 candidate so selected shall be deemed, for the purposes of chapter 153,
496 the person certified by the Secretary of the State pursuant to section 9-
497 444 as the nominee of such party.

498 (C) Except as provided in subparagraph (B) of this subdivision, if a
499 candidacy for nomination is filed by or on behalf of any person other
500 than a party-endorsed candidate not later than fourteen days after the
501 party endorsement and in conformity with the provisions of section 9-
502 400, as amended by this act, a primary shall be held in each
503 municipality of the district and each part of a municipality which is a
504 component part of the district, to determine the nominee of such party
505 for such office, except as provided in section 9-416a. Such primary
506 shall be held on the day that the writs of election issued by the
507 Governor, pursuant to section 9-212, as amended by this act, ordered
508 the election to be held, and new writs of election shall be issued by the
509 Governor in accordance with section 9-212, as amended by this act.

510 (D) Unless the provisions of subparagraph (B) of this subdivision
511 apply, petition forms for candidacies for nomination by a political
512 party pursuant to this subdivision shall be available from the Secretary

513 of the State beginning on the day following the issuance of writs of
514 election by the Governor pursuant to section 9-212, as amended by this
515 act, except when a primary has already been held, and the provisions
516 of section 9-404a, as amended by this act, shall otherwise apply to such
517 petitions.

518 (E) The registry lists used pursuant to this subsection shall be the
519 last-completed lists, as provided in sections 9-172a and 9-172b.

520 Sec. 514. Subsection (a) of section 9-183a of the general statutes is
521 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
522 *passage*):

523 (a) The number of justices of the peace for each town shall be equal
524 to one-third the number of jurors to which such town is by law
525 entitled, except in the town of Waterbury the number shall be sixty-
526 nine, in the town of Trumbull the number shall be [fifteen] thirty, in
527 the town of Meriden the number shall be thirty-six, and in the town of
528 Litchfield the number shall be fifteen; provided any town, by
529 ordinance, may provide for the selection of a lesser number of justices
530 of the peace for such town as herein provided, which shall be not less
531 than fifteen.

532 Sec. 515. Subdivision (2) of subsection (g) of section 9-333i of the
533 2006 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following
534 is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

535 (2) Unless otherwise provided by this chapter, any campaign
536 treasurer, in accomplishing the lawful purposes of his committee, may
537 pay the expenses of: (A) Advertising in electronic and print media; (B)
538 any other form of printed advertising or communications including
539 "thank you" advertising after the election; (C) campaign items,
540 including, but not limited to, brochures, leaflets, flyers, invitations,
541 stationery, envelopes, reply cards, return envelopes, campaign
542 business cards, direct mailings, postcards, palm cards, "thank you"
543 notes, sample ballots and other similar items; (D) political banners and
544 billboards; (E) political paraphernalia, which is customarily given or

545 sold to supporters including, but not limited to, campaign buttons,
546 stickers, pins, pencils, pens, matchbooks, balloons, pads, calendars,
547 magnets, key chains, hats, tee shirts, sweatshirts, frisbees, pot holders,
548 jar openers and other similar items; (F) purchasing office supplies for
549 campaign or political purposes, campaign photographs, raffle or other
550 fund-raising permits required by law, fund-raiser prizes, postage,
551 express mail delivery services, bulk mail permits, and computer
552 supplies and services; (G) banking service charges to maintain
553 campaign and political accounts; (H) subscriptions to newspapers and
554 periodicals which enhance the candidacy of the candidate or party; (I)
555 lease or rental of office space for campaign or political purposes and
556 expenses in connection therewith including, but not limited to,
557 furniture, parking, storage space, utilities and maintenance, provided a
558 party committee or political committee organized for ongoing political
559 activities may purchase such office space; (J) lease or rental of vehicles
560 for campaign use only; (K) lease, rental or use charges of any ordinary
561 and necessary campaign office equipment including, but not limited
562 to, copy machines, telephones, postage meters, facsimile machines,
563 computer hardware, software and printers, provided a party
564 committee or political committee organized for ongoing political
565 activities may purchase office equipment, and provided further that a
566 candidate committee or a political committee, other than a political
567 committee formed for ongoing political activities or an exploratory
568 committee, may purchase computer equipment; (L) compensation for
569 campaign or committee staff, fringe benefits and payroll taxes,
570 provided the candidate and any member of his immediate family shall
571 not receive compensation; (M) travel, meals and lodging expenses of
572 speakers, campaign or committee workers, the candidate and the
573 candidate's spouse for political and campaign purposes; (N) fund
574 raising; (O) reimbursements to candidates and campaign or committee
575 workers made in accordance with the provisions of this section [9-333i]
576 for campaign-related expenses for which a receipt is received by the
577 campaign treasurer; (P) campaign or committee services of attorneys,
578 accountants, consultants or other professional persons for campaign
579 activities, obtaining or contesting ballot status, nomination, or election,

580 and compliance with this chapter; (Q) purchasing campaign finance
581 reports; (R) repaying permissible campaign loans made to the
582 committee that are properly reported and refunding contributions
583 received from an impermissible source or in excess of the limitations
584 set forth in this chapter; (S) conducting polls concerning any political
585 party, issue, candidate or individual; (T) gifts to campaign or
586 committee workers or purchasing flowers or other commemorative
587 items for political purposes not to exceed [fifty] one hundred dollars to
588 any one recipient in a calendar year or for the campaign, as the case
589 may be; (U) purchasing tickets or advertising from charities, inaugural
590 committees, or other civic organizations if for a political purpose, for
591 any candidate, a candidate's spouse, a member of a candidate's
592 campaign staff, or members of committees; (V) the inauguration of an
593 elected candidate by that candidate's candidate committee; (W) hiring
594 of halls, rooms, music and other entertainment for political meetings
595 and events; (X) reasonable compensation for public speakers hired by
596 the committee; (Y) transporting electors to the polls and other get-out-
597 the-vote activities on election day; and (Z) any other necessary
598 campaign or political expense.

599 Sec. 516. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) The Secretary of the Office
600 of Policy and Management, in consultation with the Attorney General
601 and at least three human service private providers designated by the
602 secretary, shall develop a uniform human services private provider
603 information disclosure form on or before December 31, 2006.

604 (b) The Departments of Social Services, Administrative Services,
605 Children and Families, Correction, Mental Health and Addiction
606 Services, Public Health and Mental Retardation shall, as a condition of
607 entering into, amending or extending any contract or series of
608 contracts with a human services private provider worth two hundred
609 fifty thousand dollars annually or more on or after July 1, 2007, require
610 such provider, and each subcontractor of such provider, to submit a
611 completed disclosure form, described in subsection (a) of this section,
612 to the relevant state department on or before December thirty-first of
613 each year.

614 (c) Any contract entered into by the departments listed in subsection
615 (b) of this section with a human service private provider shall require
616 such provider and any subcontractor of such provider to attach to its
617 annual disclosure form, and submit electronically, if available in
618 electronic form, reports required by the provisions of sections 4-230 to
619 4-236, inclusive, of the general statutes and any annual performance
620 assessment reports conducted by or for such provider in connection
621 with such contract.

622 (d) The disclosure form described in subsection (a) of this section
623 shall include, at a minimum, the following information: (1) Such
624 provider's identifying information, including the official name of such
625 provider, (2) any applicable provider state identification number,
626 including original contract number, federal employer tax identification
627 number or state special identification number, (3) the name, business
628 address and telephone number of the executive responsible for such
629 contract, (4) personnel compensation information that shall include the
630 average annual wages or salaries of professional and nonprofessional
631 staff engaged in such contracted for services, (5) the salaries and all
632 other forms of compensation of the three highest salaried employees of
633 such provider, and (6) health care information that shall include the
634 total number of employees who receive health care coverage from the
635 provider, and the percentage of such provider's employees that such
636 number represents, and the annual amount spent on health care by the
637 provider.

638 (e) On or before January 1, 2008, the Office of Policy and
639 Management, in consultation with the Department of Information and
640 Technology, and within available appropriations, shall develop and
641 update an on-line resource library to provide the public with the
642 information required to be submitted in accordance with the
643 provisions of this section.

644 (f) Any human services private provider disclosure form submitted
645 in accordance with the provisions of this section shall be public
646 documents and shall be subject to disclosure under chapter 14 of the

647 general statutes.

648 (g) For purposes of this section, "human services private provider"
649 means any person or business entity that enters into a contract with
650 any department listed in subsection (b) of this section and that
651 provides services directly to members of the public and
652 "subcontractor" means any business entity that enters into a contract or
653 series of contracts with a human services private provider worth more
654 than fifty thousand dollars annually and that requires the
655 subcontractor to perform services directly to members of the public.

656 Sec. 517. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2006*) On or before September 1,
657 2006, the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management, in
658 consultation with the head of each budgeted state agency responsible
659 for services related to health and hospitals, human services and
660 correction, and in consultation with representatives of private provider
661 organizations, shall recommend criteria for the allocation of
662 administrative and general costs in contracts between private
663 providers of human services and such contracting state agencies. Such
664 criteria shall be utilized in the development of contracts executed
665 between such contracting state agencies and private providers of
666 human services for the contract period beginning July 1, 2007.

667 Sec. 518. (NEW) (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections*
668 *held on or after said date*) (a) Notwithstanding any provision of the
669 general statutes, no party committee, legislative caucus committee or
670 legislative leadership committee, as defined in section 9-333a of the
671 2006 supplement to the general statutes, shall make an organization
672 expenditure, as defined in subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006
673 supplement to the general statutes, for the benefit of a participating
674 candidate or the candidate committee of a participating candidate in
675 the Citizens' Election Program for the office of state senator in an
676 amount that exceeds ten thousand dollars for the general election
677 campaign.

678 (b) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, no party

679 committee, legislative caucus committee or legislative leadership
680 committee, as defined in section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the
681 general statutes, shall make an organization expenditure, as defined in
682 subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the general
683 statutes, for the purposes described in subparagraph (A) of
684 subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the general
685 statutes for the benefit of a participating candidate or the candidate
686 committee of a participating candidate in the Citizens' Election
687 Program for the office of state senator for the primary campaign.

688 (c) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, no party
689 committee, legislative caucus committee or legislative leadership
690 committee, as defined in section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the
691 general statutes, shall make an organization expenditure, as defined in
692 subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the general
693 statutes, for the benefit of a participating candidate or the candidate
694 committee of a participating candidate in the Citizens' Election
695 Program for the office of state representative in an amount that
696 exceeds three thousand five hundred dollars for the general election
697 campaign.

698 (d) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, no party
699 committee, legislative caucus committee or legislative leadership
700 committee, as defined in section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the
701 general statutes, shall make an organization expenditure, as defined in
702 subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the general
703 statutes, for the purposes described in subparagraph (A) of
704 subdivision (25) of section 9-333a of the 2006 supplement to the general
705 statutes for the benefit of a participating candidate or the candidate
706 committee of a participating candidate in the Citizens' Election
707 Program for the office of state representative for the primary
708 campaign.

709 Sec. 519. Section 9-717 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes
710 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
711 *from passage*):

712 (a) If, on or after April fifteenth of any year in which a general
713 election is scheduled to occur, or on or after the forty-fifth day prior to
714 any special election scheduled relative to any vacancy in the General
715 Assembly, a court of competent jurisdiction prohibits or limits, or
716 continues to prohibit or limit, the expenditure of funds from the
717 Citizens' Election Fund established in section 9-701 for grants or
718 moneys for candidate committees authorized under sections 9-700 to 9-
719 716, inclusive, for a period of [seventy-two] one hundred sixty-eight
720 hours or more, (1) sections 1-100b, 9-700 to 9-716, inclusive, 9-750, 9-
721 751 and 9-760 and section 49 of public act 05-5 of the October 25 special
722 session* shall be inoperative and have no effect with respect to any
723 race that is the subject of such court order until December thirty-first of
724 such year, and (2) (A) the amendments made to the provisions of the
725 sections of the general statutes pursuant to public act 05-5 of the
726 October 25 special session** shall be inoperative until December thirty-
727 first of such year, (B) the provisions of said sections of the general
728 statutes, revision of 1958, revised to December 30, 2006, shall be
729 effective until December thirty-first of such year, and (C) the
730 provisions of subsections (g) to (j), inclusive, of section 9-333n shall not
731 be implemented until December thirty-first of such year. If, on the
732 April fifteenth of the second year succeeding such original prohibition
733 or limitation, any such prohibition or limitation is in effect, the
734 provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of this section shall be
735 implemented and remain in effect without the time limitation
736 described in said subdivisions (1) and (2).

737 (b) Any candidate who has received any funds pursuant to the
738 provisions sections 1-100b, 9-700 to 9-716, inclusive, 9-750, 9-751 and 9-
739 760 and section 49 of public act 05-5 of the October 25 special session*
740 prior to any such prohibition or limitation taking effect may retain and
741 expend such funds in accordance with said sections unless prohibited
742 from doing so by the court.

743 Sec. 520. Subsection (c) of section 9-333j of the 2006 supplement to
744 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
745 thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on and*

746 *after said date*):

747 (c) (1) Each statement filed under subsection (a), (e) or (f) of this
748 section shall include, but not be limited to: (A) An itemized accounting
749 of each contribution, if any, including the full name and complete
750 address of each contributor and the amount of the contribution; (B) in
751 the case of anonymous contributions, the total amount received and
752 the denomination of the bills; (C) an itemized accounting of each
753 expenditure, if any, including the full name and complete address of
754 each payee, including secondary payees whenever the primary or
755 principal payee is known to include charges which the primary payee
756 has already paid or will pay directly to another person, vendor or
757 entity, the amount and the purpose of the expenditure, the candidate
758 supported or opposed by the expenditure, whether the expenditure is
759 made independently of the candidate supported or is an in-kind
760 contribution to the candidate, and a statement of the balance on hand
761 or deficit, as the case may be; (D) an itemized accounting of each
762 expense incurred but not paid, provided if the expense is incurred by
763 use of a credit card, the accounting shall include secondary payees,
764 and the amount owed to each such payee; (E) the name and address of
765 any person who is the guarantor of a loan to, or the cosigner of a note
766 with, the candidate on whose behalf the committee was formed, or the
767 campaign treasurer in the case of a party committee or a political
768 committee or who has advanced a security deposit to a telephone
769 company, as defined in section 16-1, as amended, for
770 telecommunications service for a committee; (F) for each business
771 entity or person purchasing advertising space in a program for a fund-
772 raising affair, the name and address of the business entity or the name
773 and address of the person, and the amount and aggregate amounts of
774 such purchases; (G) for each individual who contributes in excess of
775 one hundred dollars but not more than one thousand dollars, in the
776 aggregate, to the extent known, the principal occupation of such
777 individual and the name of the individual's employer, if any; (H) for
778 each individual who contributes in excess of one thousand dollars in
779 the aggregate, the principal occupation of such individual, the name of

780 the individual's employer, if any, and a statement indicating whether
781 the individual or a business with which he is associated has a contract
782 with the state which is valued at more than five thousand dollars; (I)
783 for each itemized contribution made by a lobbyist, the spouse of a
784 lobbyist or any dependent child of a lobbyist who resides in the
785 lobbyist's household, a statement to that effect; and (J) for each
786 individual who contributes in excess of four hundred dollars in the
787 aggregate to or for the benefit of any candidate's campaign for
788 nomination at a primary or election to the office of chief executive
789 officer of a town, city or borough, a statement indicating whether the
790 individual or a business with which he is associated has a contract
791 with said municipality that is valued at more than five thousand
792 dollars. Each campaign treasurer shall include in such statement (i) an
793 itemized accounting of the receipts and expenditures relative to any
794 testimonial affair held under the provisions of section 9-333k or any
795 other fund-raising affair, which is referred to in subsection (b) of
796 section 9-333b, as amended, and (ii) the date, location and a description
797 of the affair.

798 (2) Each contributor described in subparagraph (G), (H), (I) or (J) of
799 subdivision (1) of this subsection shall, at the time the contributor
800 makes such a contribution, provide the information which the
801 campaign treasurer is required to include under said subparagraph in
802 the statement filed under subsection (a), (e) or (f) of this section.
803 Notwithstanding any provision of subdivision (2) of section 9-7b, as
804 amended, any contributor described in subparagraph (G) of
805 subdivision (1) of this subsection who does not provide such
806 information at the time the contributor makes such a contribution and
807 any treasurer shall not be subject to the provisions of subdivision (2) of
808 section 9-7b, as amended. If a campaign treasurer receives a
809 contribution from an individual which separately, or in the aggregate,
810 is in excess of one thousand dollars and the contributor has not
811 provided the information required by said subparagraph (H) or if a
812 campaign treasurer receives a contribution from an individual to or for
813 the benefit of any candidate's campaign for nomination at a primary or

814 election to the office of chief executive officer of a town, city or
815 borough, which separately, or in the aggregate, is in excess of four
816 hundred dollars and the contributor has not provided the information
817 required by said subparagraph (J), the campaign treasurer: (i) Within
818 three business days after receiving the contribution, shall send a
819 request for such information to the contributor by certified mail, return
820 receipt requested; (ii) shall not deposit the contribution until the
821 campaign treasurer obtains such information from the contributor,
822 notwithstanding the provisions of section 9-333h; and (iii) shall return
823 the contribution to the contributor if the contributor does not provide
824 the required information within fourteen days after the treasurer's
825 written request or the end of the reporting period in which the
826 contribution was received, whichever is later. Any failure of a
827 contributor to provide the information which the campaign treasurer is
828 required to include under said subparagraph (G) or (I), which results
829 in noncompliance by the campaign treasurer with the provisions of
830 said subparagraph (G) or (I), shall be a complete defense to any action
831 against the campaign treasurer for failure to disclose such information.

832 (3) In addition to the requirements of subdivision (2) of this
833 subsection, each contributor who makes a contribution that separately,
834 or in the aggregate, exceeds one hundred dollars shall provide with
835 the contribution a certification that the contributor is not a principal of
836 a state contractor or prospective state contractor, as defined in
837 subsection (g) of section 9-333n, as amended. If a campaign treasurer
838 receives such a contribution and the contributor has not provided such
839 certification, the campaign treasurer shall: (A) Not later than three
840 business days after receiving the contribution, send a request for the
841 certification to the contributor by certified mail, return receipt
842 requested; (B) not deposit the contribution until the campaign
843 treasurer obtains the certification from the contributor,
844 notwithstanding the provisions of section 9-333h; and (C) return the
845 contribution to the contributor if the contributor does not provide the
846 certification not later than fourteen days after the treasurer's written
847 request or at the end of the reporting period in which the contribution

848 was received, whichever is later. If a campaign treasurer deposits a
849 contribution based on a certification that is later determined to be false
850 and the campaign treasurer did not know and should not have known
851 that the certification was false, the campaign treasurer's lack of
852 knowledge of the false certification shall be a complete defense in any
853 action against the campaign treasurer for depositing the contribution
854 in violation of this subdivision.

855 (4) Contributions from a single individual to a campaign treasurer
856 in the aggregate totaling fifty dollars or less need not be individually
857 identified in the statement, but a sum representing the total amount of
858 all such contributions made by all such individuals during the period
859 to be covered by such statement shall be a separate entry, identified
860 only by the words "total contributions from small contributors".

861 (5) Each statement filed by the campaign treasurer of a party
862 committee, a legislative caucus committee or a legislative leadership
863 committee shall include an itemized accounting of each organization
864 expenditure made by the committee. Concomitant with the filing of
865 any such statement containing an accounting of an organization
866 expenditure made by the committee for the benefit of a participating
867 candidate for the office of state senator or state representative, such
868 campaign treasurer shall provide notice of the amount and purpose of
869 the organization expenditure to the candidate committee of such
870 candidate.

871 (6) In addition to the other applicable requirements of this section,
872 the campaign treasurer of a candidate committee of a participating
873 candidate for the office of state senator or state representative who has
874 received the benefit of any organization expenditure shall, not later
875 than the time of dissolving such committee, file a statement with the
876 State Elections Enforcement Commission that lists, if known to such
877 candidate committee, the committee which made such organization
878 expenditure for such candidate's behalf and the amount and purpose
879 of such organization expenditure.

880 [(6)] (7) Statements filed in accordance with this section shall remain
881 public records of the state for five years from the date such statements
882 are filed.

883 Sec. 521. Section 9-705 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes
884 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
885 *December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date*):

886 (a) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate
887 for the office of Governor who has a primary for nomination to said
888 office shall be eligible to receive a grant from the Citizens' Election
889 Fund for the primary campaign in the amount of one million two
890 hundred fifty thousand dollars, provided, in the case of a primary held
891 in 2014, or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted under subsection
892 (d) of this section.

893 (2) The qualified candidate committee of a [major party] candidate
894 for the office of Governor who has been nominated, or who has
895 qualified to appear on the election ballot in accordance with the
896 provisions of part III C of chapter 153, shall be eligible to receive a
897 grant from the fund for the general election campaign in the amount of
898 three million dollars, provided in the case of an election held in 2014,
899 or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted under subsection (d) of
900 this section.

901 (b) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate
902 for the office of Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State
903 Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State Treasurer who has a
904 primary for nomination to said office shall be eligible to receive a grant
905 from the fund for the primary campaign in the amount of three
906 hundred seventy-five thousand dollars, provided, in the case of a
907 primary held in 2014, or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted
908 under subsection (d) of this section.

909 (2) The qualified candidate committee of a [major party] candidate
910 for the office of Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the
911 State or State Treasurer who has been nominated, or who has qualified

912 to appear on the election ballot in accordance with the provisions of
913 part III C of chapter 153, shall be eligible to receive a grant from the
914 fund for the general election campaign in the amount of seven
915 hundred fifty thousand dollars, provided in the case of an election
916 held in 2014, or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted under
917 subsection (d) of this section.

918 (c) (1) [The] Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) and
919 (b) of this section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible
920 minor party candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor,
921 Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State
922 Treasurer shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the
923 general election campaign if either (A) the candidate of the same minor
924 party for the same office at the last preceding regular election received
925 at least ten per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all
926 candidates for said office at said election, or (B) said candidate's
927 nominating petition has been signed by a number of qualified electors
928 equal to at least ten per cent of the whole number of electors on the
929 active registry list for the state for the last preceding regular election.
930 The amount of the grant shall be one-third of the amount of the
931 general election campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this
932 section for a [major party] candidate for the same office, provided [(A)]
933 (i) if the candidate of the same minor party for the same office at the
934 last preceding regular election received at least fifteen per cent of the
935 whole number of votes cast for all candidates for said office at said
936 election, or said candidate's nominating petition has been signed by a
937 number of qualified electors equal to at least fifteen per cent of the
938 whole number of electors on the active registry list for the state for the
939 last preceding regular election, the amount of the grant shall be two-
940 thirds of the amount of the general election campaign grant under
941 subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the
942 same office, [(B)] (ii) if the candidate of the same minor party for the
943 same office at the last preceding regular election received at least
944 twenty per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for
945 said office at said election, or said candidate's nominating petition has

946 been signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at least twenty
947 per cent of the whole number of electors on the active registry list for
948 the state for the last preceding regular election, the amount of the grant
949 shall be the same as the amount of the general election campaign grant
950 under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a [major party] candidate
951 for the same office, and [(C)] (iii) in the case of an election held in 2014,
952 or thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (d) of
953 this section.

954 (2) [The] Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) and (b)
955 of this section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible
956 petitioning party candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant
957 Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State
958 or State Treasurer shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for
959 the general election campaign if said candidate's nominating petition
960 has been signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at least ten
961 per cent of the whole number of [votes cast for the same office] electors
962 on the active registry list for the state at the last preceding regular
963 election. The amount of the grant shall be one-third of the amount of
964 the general election campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this
965 section for a [major party] candidate for the same office, provided (A)
966 if said candidate's nominating petition has been signed by a number of
967 qualified electors equal to at least fifteen per cent of the whole number
968 of [votes cast for the same office] electors on the active registry list for
969 the state at the last preceding regular election, the amount of the grant
970 shall be two-thirds of the amount of the general election campaign
971 grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a [major party]
972 candidate for the same office, (B) if said candidate's nominating
973 petition has been signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at
974 least twenty per cent of the whole number of [votes cast for the same
975 office] electors on the active registry list for the state at the last
976 preceding regular election, the amount of the grant shall be the same
977 as the amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection
978 (a) or (b) of this section for a [major party] candidate for the same
979 office, and (C) in the case of an election held in 2014, or thereafter, said

980 amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (d) of this section.

981 (3) In addition to the provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of this
982 subsection, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible petitioning
983 party candidate and the qualified candidate committee of an eligible
984 minor party candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor,
985 Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State
986 Treasurer shall be eligible to receive a supplemental grant from the
987 fund after the general election if the treasurer of such candidate
988 committee reports a deficit in the first statement filed after the general
989 election, pursuant to section 9-333j, and such candidate received a
990 greater per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for
991 said office at said election than the per cent of votes or signatures
992 utilized by such candidate to obtain a general election campaign grant
993 described in subdivision (1) or (2) of this subsection. The amount of
994 such supplemental grant shall be calculated as follows:

995 (A) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than ten
996 per cent, but not more than fifteen per cent, of the whole number of
997 votes cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant
998 shall be the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the
999 difference between the percentage of such whole number of votes
1000 received by such candidate and ten per cent and the denominator is
1001 ten, and (ii) two-thirds of the amount of the general election campaign
1002 grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party
1003 candidate for the same office.

1004 (B) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than fifteen
1005 per cent, but less than twenty per cent, of the whole number of votes
1006 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant shall be
1007 the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the difference
1008 between the percentage of such whole number of votes received by
1009 such candidate and fifteen per cent and the denominator is five, and
1010 (ii) one-third of the amount of the general election campaign grant
1011 under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party candidate
1012 for the same office.

1013 (C) The sum of the general election campaign grant received by any
1014 such candidate and a supplemental grant under this subdivision shall
1015 not exceed one hundred per cent of the amount of the general election
1016 campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major
1017 party candidate for the same office.

1018 (d) For elections held in 2014, and thereafter, the amount of the
1019 grants in subsections (a), (b) and (c) of this section shall be adjusted by
1020 the State Elections Enforcement Commission not later than January 15,
1021 2014, and quadrennially thereafter, in accordance with any change in
1022 the consumer price index for all urban consumers as published by the
1023 United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, during
1024 the period beginning on January 1, 2010, and ending on December
1025 thirty-first in the year preceding the year in which said adjustment is
1026 to be made.

1027 (e) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate
1028 for the office of state senator who has a primary for nomination to said
1029 office shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the primary
1030 campaign in the amount of thirty-five thousand dollars, provided (A)
1031 if the percentage of the electors in the district served by said office who
1032 are enrolled in said major party exceeds the percentage of the electors
1033 in said district who are enrolled in another major party by at least
1034 twenty percentage points, the amount of said grant shall be seventy-
1035 five thousand dollars, and (B) in the case of a primary held in 2010, or
1036 thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this
1037 section. For the purposes of subparagraph (A) of this subdivision, the
1038 number of enrolled members of a major party and the number of
1039 electors in a district shall be determined by the latest enrollment and
1040 voter registration records in the office of the Secretary of the State
1041 submitted in accordance with the provisions of section 9-65. The names
1042 of electors on the inactive registry list compiled under section 9-35
1043 shall not be counted for such purposes.

1044 (2) The qualified candidate committee of a [major party] candidate
1045 for the office of state senator who has been nominated, or has qualified

1046 to appear on the election ballot in accordance with part III C of chapter
1047 153, shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the general
1048 election campaign in the amount of eighty-five thousand dollars,
1049 provided in the case of an election held in 2010, or thereafter, said
1050 amount shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this section.

1051 (f) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate
1052 for the office of state representative who has a primary for nomination
1053 to said office shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the
1054 primary campaign in the amount of ten thousand dollars, provided (A)
1055 if the percentage of the electors in the district served by said office who
1056 are enrolled in said major party exceeds the percentage of the electors
1057 in said district who are enrolled in another major party by at least
1058 twenty percentage points, the amount of said grant shall be twenty-
1059 five thousand dollars, and (B) in the case of a primary held in 2010, or
1060 thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this
1061 section. For the purposes of subparagraph (A) of this subdivision, the
1062 number of enrolled members of a major party and the number of
1063 electors in a district shall be determined by the latest enrollment and
1064 voter registration records in the office of the Secretary of the State
1065 submitted in accordance with the provisions of section 9-65. The names
1066 of electors on the inactive registry list compiled under section 9-35
1067 shall not be counted for such purposes.

1068 (2) The qualified candidate committee of a [major party] candidate
1069 for the office of state representative who has been nominated, or has
1070 qualified to appear on the election ballot in accordance with part III C
1071 of chapter 153, shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the
1072 general election campaign in the amount of twenty-five thousand
1073 dollars, provided in the case of an election held in 2010, or thereafter,
1074 said amount shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this section.

1075 (g) (1) [The] Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (e) and
1076 (f) of this section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible
1077 minor party candidate for the office of state senator or state
1078 representative shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the

1079 general election campaign if either (A) the candidate of the same minor
1080 party for the same office at the last preceding regular election received
1081 at least ten per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all
1082 candidates for said office at said election, or (B) said candidate's
1083 nominating petition has been signed by a number of qualified electors
1084 equal to at least ten per cent of the whole number of electors on the
1085 active registry list for the senatorial or assembly district, as the case
1086 may be, for the last preceding regular election. The amount of the
1087 grant shall be one-third of the amount of the general election campaign
1088 grant under subsection (e) or (f) of this section for a [major party]
1089 candidate for the same office, provided [(A)] (i) if the candidate of the
1090 same minor party for the same office at the last preceding regular
1091 election received at least fifteen per cent of the whole number of votes
1092 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, or said candidate's
1093 nominating petition has been signed by a number of qualified electors
1094 equal to at least fifteen per cent of the whole number of electors on the
1095 active registry list for the senatorial or assembly district, as the case
1096 may be, for the last preceding regular election, the amount of the grant
1097 shall be two-thirds of the amount of the general election campaign
1098 grant under subsection (e) or (f) of this section for a [major party]
1099 candidate for the same office, [(B)] (ii) if the candidate of the same
1100 minor party for the same office at the last preceding regular election
1101 received at least twenty per cent of the whole number of votes cast for
1102 all candidates for said office at said election, or said candidate's
1103 nominating petition has been signed by a number of qualified electors
1104 equal to at least twenty per cent of the whole number of electors on the
1105 active registry list for the senatorial or assembly district, as the case
1106 may be, for the last preceding regular election, the amount of the grant
1107 shall be the same as the amount of the general election campaign grant
1108 under subsection (e) or (f) of this section for a [major party] candidate
1109 for the same office, and [(C)] (iii) in the case of an election held in 2010,
1110 or thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of
1111 this section.

1112 (2) [The] Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (e) and (f)

1113 of this section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible
1114 petitioning party candidate for the office of state senator or state
1115 representative shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the
1116 general election campaign if said candidate's nominating petition has
1117 been signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at least ten per
1118 cent of the whole number of [votes cast for the same office] electors on
1119 the active registry list for the senatorial or assembly district, as the case
1120 may be, at the last preceding regular election. The amount of the grant
1121 shall be one-third of the amount of the general election campaign grant
1122 under subsection (e) or (f) of this section for a [major party] candidate
1123 for the same office, provided (A) if said candidate's nominating
1124 petition has been signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at
1125 least fifteen per cent of the whole number of [votes cast for the same
1126 office] electors on the active registry list for the senatorial or assembly
1127 district, as the case may be, at the last preceding regular election, the
1128 amount of the grant shall be two-thirds of the amount of the general
1129 election campaign grant under subsection (e) or (f) of this section for a
1130 [major party] candidate for the same office, (B) if said candidate's
1131 nominating petition has been signed by a number of qualified electors
1132 equal to at least twenty per cent of the whole number of [votes cast for
1133 the same office] electors on the active registry list for the senatorial or
1134 assembly district, as the case may be, at the last preceding regular
1135 election, the amount of the grant shall be the same as the amount of the
1136 general election campaign grant under subsection (e) or (f) of this
1137 section for a [major party] candidate for the same office, and (C) in the
1138 case of an election held in 2010, or thereafter, said amounts shall be
1139 adjusted under subsection (h) of this section.

1140 (3) In addition to the provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of this
1141 subsection, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible petitioning
1142 party candidate and the qualified candidate committee of an eligible
1143 minor party candidate for the office of state senator or state
1144 representative shall be eligible to receive a supplemental grant from
1145 the fund after the general election if the treasurer of such candidate
1146 committee reports a deficit in the first statement filed after the general

1147 election, pursuant to section 9-333j, and such candidate received a
1148 greater per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for
1149 said office at said election than the per cent of votes or signatures
1150 utilized by such candidate to obtain a general election campaign grant
1151 described in subdivision (1) or (2) of this subsection. The amount of
1152 such supplemental grant shall be calculated as follows:

1153 (A) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than ten
1154 per cent, but less than fifteen per cent, of the whole number of votes
1155 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant shall be
1156 the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the difference
1157 between the percentage of such whole number of votes received by
1158 such candidate and ten per cent and the denominator is ten, and (ii)
1159 two-thirds of the amount of the general election campaign grant under
1160 subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party candidate for the
1161 same office.

1162 (B) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than fifteen
1163 per cent, but less than twenty per cent, of the whole number of votes
1164 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant shall be
1165 the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the difference
1166 between the percentage of such whole number of votes received by
1167 such candidate and fifteen per cent and the denominator is five, and
1168 (ii) one-third of the amount of the general election campaign grant
1169 under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party candidate
1170 for the same office.

1171 (C) The sum of the general election campaign grant received by any
1172 such candidate and a supplemental grant under this subdivision shall
1173 not exceed one hundred per cent of the amount of the general election
1174 campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major
1175 party candidate for the same office.

1176 (h) For elections held in 2010, and thereafter, the amount of the
1177 grants in subsections (e), (f) and (g) of this section shall be adjusted by
1178 the State Elections Enforcement Commission not later than January 15,

1179 2010, and biennially thereafter, in accordance with any change in the
1180 consumer price index for all urban consumers as published by the
1181 United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, during
1182 the period beginning on January 1, 2008, and ending on December
1183 thirty-first in the year preceding the year in which said adjustment is
1184 to be made.

1185 (i) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (e), (f) and (g) of
1186 this section, in the case of a special election for the office of state
1187 senator or state representative, the amount of the grant for a general
1188 election campaign shall be seventy-five per cent of the amount
1189 authorized under the applicable said subsection (e), (f) or (g).

1190 (j) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) to (i), inclusive,
1191 of this section:

1192 (1) The initial grant that a qualified candidate committee for a
1193 candidate is eligible to receive under subsections (a) to (i), inclusive, of
1194 this section shall be reduced by the amount of any personal funds that
1195 the candidate provides for the candidate's campaign for nomination or
1196 election pursuant to subsection (c) of section 9-710;

1197 (2) If a participating candidate is nominated at a primary and does
1198 not expend the entire grant for the primary campaign authorized
1199 under subsection (a), (b), (e) or (f) of this section or all moneys that
1200 may be received for the primary campaign under section 9-713 or 9-
1201 714, the amount of the grant for the general election campaign shall be
1202 reduced by the total amount of any such unexpended primary
1203 campaign grant and moneys;

1204 (3) If a participating candidate who is nominated for election does
1205 not have any opponent in the general election campaign, the amount
1206 of the general election campaign grant for which the qualified
1207 candidate committee for said candidate shall be eligible shall be thirty
1208 per cent of the applicable amount set forth in subsections (a) to (i),
1209 inclusive; and

1210 (4) If the only opponent or opponents of a participating candidate
1211 who is nominated for election to an office are eligible minor party
1212 candidates or eligible petitioning party candidates and no such eligible
1213 minor party candidate's or eligible petitioning party candidate's
1214 candidate committee has received a total amount of contributions of
1215 any type that is equal to or greater than the amount of the qualifying
1216 contributions that a candidate for such office is required to receive
1217 under section 9-704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election
1218 Fund, the amount of the general election campaign grant for such
1219 participating candidate shall be sixty per cent of the applicable amount
1220 set forth in this section.

1221 Sec. 522. Subsection (c) of section 9-702 of the 2006 supplement to
1222 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
1223 thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or*
1224 *after said date*):

1225 (c) A candidate participating in the Citizens' Election Program shall
1226 limit the expenditures of the candidate's candidate committee (A)
1227 before a primary campaign and a general election campaign, to the
1228 amount of qualifying contributions permitted in section 9-705 and any
1229 personal funds provided by the candidate under subsection (c) of
1230 section 9-710, (B) for a primary campaign, to the sum of (i) the amount
1231 of such qualifying contributions and personal funds that have not been
1232 spent before the primary campaign, (ii) the amount of the grant for the
1233 primary campaign authorized under section 9-705, and (iii) the amount
1234 of any additional moneys for the primary campaign authorized under
1235 section 9-713 or 9-714, and (C) for a general election campaign, to the
1236 sum of (i) the amount of such qualifying contributions and personal
1237 funds that have not been spent before the general election campaign,
1238 (ii) any unexpended funds from any grant for a primary campaign
1239 authorized under section 9-705 or from any additional moneys for a
1240 primary campaign authorized under section 9-713 or 9-714, (iii) the
1241 amount of the grant for the general election campaign authorized
1242 under section 9-705, and (iv) the amount of any additional moneys for
1243 the general election campaign authorized under section 9-713 or 9-714.

1244 The candidate committee of a minor or petitioning party candidate
1245 who has received a general election campaign grant from the fund
1246 pursuant to section 9-705 of the 2006 supplement to the general
1247 statutes, shall be permitted to receive contributions in addition to the
1248 qualifying contributions subject to the limitations and restrictions
1249 applicable to participating candidates for the same office, provided
1250 such minor or petitioning party candidate shall limit the expenditures
1251 of the candidate committee for a general election campaign to the sum
1252 of the qualifying contributions and personal funds, the amount of the
1253 general election campaign grant received and the amount raised in
1254 additional contributions that is equivalent to the difference between
1255 the amount of the applicable general election campaign grant for a
1256 major party candidate for such office and the amount of the general
1257 election campaign grant received by such minor or petitioning party
1258 candidate.

1259 Sec. 523. Subsection (a) of section 9-703 of the 2006 supplement to
1260 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
1261 thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or*
1262 *after said date*):

1263 (a) Each candidate for nomination or election to the office of state
1264 senator or state representative in 2008, or thereafter, or the office of
1265 Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller,
1266 Secretary of the State or State Treasurer in 2010, or thereafter, shall file
1267 an affidavit with the State Elections Enforcement Commission. The
1268 affidavit shall include a written certification that the candidate either
1269 intends to abide by the expenditure limits under the Citizens' Election
1270 Program set forth in subsection (c) of section 9-702, as amended by this
1271 act, or does not intend to abide by said limits. If the candidate intends
1272 to abide by said limits, the affidavit shall also include written
1273 certifications (1) that the campaign treasurer of the candidate
1274 committee for said candidate shall expend any moneys received from
1275 the Citizens' Election Fund in accordance with the provisions of
1276 subsection (g) of section 9-333i, as amended by this act, and regulations
1277 adopted by the State Elections Enforcement Commission under

1278 subsection (e) of section 9-706, (2) that the candidate shall repay to the
1279 fund any such moneys that are not expended in accordance with
1280 subsection (g) of said section 9-333i, as amended by this act, and said
1281 regulations, (3) that the candidate and the campaign treasurer shall
1282 comply with the provisions of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of
1283 section 9-711, and (4) stating the candidate's status as a major party,
1284 minor party or petitioning party candidate and, in the case of a major
1285 party or minor party candidate, the name of such party. The written
1286 certification described in subdivision (3) of this subsection shall be
1287 made by both the candidate and the campaign treasurer of the
1288 candidate committee for said candidate. A candidate for nomination or
1289 election to any such office shall file such affidavit not later than four
1290 o'clock p.m. on the twenty-fifth day before the day of a primary, if
1291 applicable, or on the fortieth day before the day of the election for such
1292 office, except that in the case of a special election for the office of state
1293 senator or state representative, the candidate shall file such affidavit
1294 not later than four o'clock p.m. on the twenty-fifth day before the day
1295 of such special election.

1296 Sec. 524. Subsection (d) of section 9-706 of the 2006 supplement to
1297 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
1298 thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or*
1299 *after said date*):

1300 (d) Not later than three business days following receipt of any such
1301 application, the commission shall review the application, determine
1302 whether (1) the candidate committee for the applicant has received the
1303 required qualifying contributions, (2) in the case of an application for a
1304 grant from the fund for a primary campaign, the applicant has met the
1305 applicable condition under subsection (a) of this section for applying
1306 for such grant and complied with the provisions of subsections (b) and
1307 (c) of this section, [and at least either one other participating candidate
1308 for nomination in the primary, from the same party and for the same
1309 office as the applicant, has also received the required qualifying
1310 contributions or at least one nonparticipating candidate for nomination
1311 in the primary, from the same party and for the same office as the

1312 applicant, has received an amount of contributions equal to the
1313 amount of such qualifying contributions,] (3) in the case of an
1314 application for a grant from the fund for a general election campaign,
1315 the applicant has met the applicable condition under subsection (a) of
1316 this section for applying for such moneys and complied with the
1317 provisions of subsections (b) and (c) of this section, and (4) in the case
1318 of an application by a minor party or petitioning party candidate for a
1319 grant from the fund for a general election campaign, the applicant
1320 qualifies as an eligible minor party candidate or an eligible petitioning
1321 party candidate, whichever is applicable. If the commission approves
1322 an application, the commission shall determine the amount of the
1323 grant payable to the candidate committee for the applicant pursuant to
1324 section 9-705 from the fund, and notify the State Comptroller and the
1325 candidate of such candidate committee, of such amount. Not later than
1326 two business days following notification by the commission, the State
1327 Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment of
1328 such amount to the qualified candidate committee from the fund.

1329 Sec. 525. Section 9-712 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes
1330 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
1331 *December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said date*):

1332 (a) (1) If a candidate committee in a primary campaign or a general
1333 election campaign in which there is at least one participating candidate
1334 initially makes, or incurs an obligation to make, an expenditure that is
1335 in excess of ninety per cent of the applicable grant for said
1336 participating candidate or candidates for said campaign authorized
1337 under section 9-705, the campaign treasurer of the candidate
1338 committee making the excess expenditure shall file a supplemental
1339 campaign finance statement with the State Elections Enforcement
1340 Commission, not later than forty-eight hours after making or incurring
1341 said expenditure.

1342 (2) After the initial filing of a statement under subdivision (1) of this
1343 subsection, the campaign treasurer of the candidate filing the
1344 statement and [all] the campaign treasurer of all of the opposing

1345 candidates shall file supplemental campaign finance statements with
1346 the commission on the following schedule: (A) In the case of a primary
1347 campaign, on the first Thursday following the date in July on which
1348 candidates are required to file campaign finance statements pursuant
1349 to subsection (a) of section 9-333j, as amended, or the first Thursday
1350 following the supplemental campaign finance statement filed under
1351 subdivision (1) of this subsection, whichever is later, and each
1352 Thursday thereafter until the Thursday before the day of the primary,
1353 inclusive, and (B) in the case of a general election campaign, on the
1354 first Thursday following the date in October on which candidates are
1355 required to file campaign finance statements pursuant to subsection (a)
1356 of section 9-333j, as amended, or the first Thursday following the
1357 supplemental campaign finance statement filed under subdivision (1)
1358 of this subsection, whichever is later, and each Thursday thereafter
1359 until the Thursday before the day of the election, inclusive.

1360 (3) Each supplemental statement required under subdivision (1) or
1361 (2) of this subsection for a candidate shall disclose the name of the
1362 candidate, the name of the candidate's campaign committee and the
1363 total amount of campaign expenditures made or obligated to be made
1364 by such candidate committee during the primary campaign or the
1365 general election campaign, whichever is applicable, as of the day
1366 before the date on which such statement is required to be filed. The
1367 commission shall adopt regulations, in accordance with the provisions
1368 of chapter 54, specifying permissible media for the transmission of
1369 such statements to the commission, which shall include electronic mail.

1370 (b) (1) As used in this subsection, "excess expenditure" means [(A)]
1371 an expenditure made, or obligated to be made, by a nonparticipating
1372 or a participating candidate who is opposed by one or more other
1373 participating candidates in a primary campaign or a general election
1374 campaign, which is in excess of the amount of the [applicable grant]
1375 limit on expenditures for said participating candidates for said
1376 campaign authorized under section [9-705] 9-702, as amended by this
1377 act. [, or (B) an expenditure made, or obligated to be made by a
1378 participating candidate who is opposed by one or more other

1379 participating candidates in a primary campaign or a general election
1380 campaign, which is in excess of the sum of (i) the amount of the
1381 applicable qualifying contributions that a candidate is required to
1382 receive under section 9-704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens'
1383 Election Fund, and (ii) the amount of the applicable grant for said
1384 participating candidates for said campaign authorized under section 9-
1385 705.]

1386 (2) If a candidate committee makes, or incurs the obligation to make,
1387 an excess expenditure more than twenty days before the day of a
1388 primary or an election, the campaign treasurer of said candidate shall
1389 file a declaration of excess expenditures with the commission not later
1390 than forty-eight hours after making or incurring said expenditure. If
1391 said candidate committee makes, or incurs the obligation to make, an
1392 excess expenditure twenty days or less before the day of a primary or
1393 an election, the campaign treasurer of said candidate shall file such
1394 declaration with the commission not later than twenty-four hours after
1395 making or incurring the expenditure.

1396 (3) The commission shall confirm whether an expenditure described
1397 in a declaration filed under this subsection is an excess expenditure.

1398 (c) If a campaign treasurer fails to file any statement or declaration
1399 required by this section within the time required, said campaign
1400 treasurer shall be subject to a civil penalty, imposed by the
1401 commission, of not more than one thousand dollars for the first failure
1402 to file the statement within the time required and not more than five
1403 thousand dollars for any subsequent such failure.

1404 Sec. 526. Section 9-333l of the 2006 supplement to the general
1405 statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof
1406 (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or after said*
1407 *date*):

1408 (a) Any provision of this chapter to the contrary notwithstanding, a
1409 candidate committee may join with one or more candidate committees
1410 to establish a political committee for the purpose of sponsoring one or

1411 more fund-raising events for those candidates. Any individual, other
1412 than a candidate benefited, who is eligible and qualifies to serve in
1413 accordance with the provisions of subsection (d) of section 9-333h may
1414 serve as the campaign treasurer or deputy campaign treasurer of such
1415 a political committee. The statements required to be filed by a political
1416 committee under this chapter shall apply to any political committee
1417 established pursuant to this subsection. After all expenses of the
1418 political committee have been paid by its campaign treasurer for each
1419 event, he shall distribute all remaining funds from such event to the
1420 campaign treasurers of each of the candidate committees which
1421 established the political committee. The distribution to each candidate
1422 committee shall be made not later than fourteen days after the event,
1423 either in accordance with a prior agreement of the candidates or, if no
1424 prior agreement was made, in equal proportions to each candidate
1425 committee. Any contribution which is made to such political
1426 committee shall, for purposes of determining compliance with the
1427 limitations imposed by this chapter, be deemed to have been made in
1428 equal proportions to each candidate's campaign unless (1) a prior
1429 agreement was made by the candidates as to the disposition of
1430 remaining funds, and (2) those who contributed to the political
1431 committee were notified of such disposition, in which case the
1432 contribution shall be deemed to have been made to each candidate's
1433 campaign in accordance with the agreement.

1434 (b) A candidate committee may pay its pro rata share of the
1435 expenses of operating a campaign headquarters and of preparing,
1436 printing and disseminating any political communication on behalf of
1437 that candidate and any other candidate or candidates.
1438 Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of
1439 section 9-333r, a candidate committee may reimburse a party
1440 committee for any expenditure such party committee has incurred for
1441 the benefit of such candidate committee.

1442 (c) A candidate may make any expenditure permitted by section 9-
1443 333i, as amended by this act, to aid or promote the success of his
1444 campaign for nomination or election from his personal funds, or the

1445 funds of his immediate family, which for the purposes of this chapter
1446 shall consist of the candidate's spouse and issue. Any such expenditure
1447 shall not be deemed a contribution to any committee.

1448 (d) (1) No incumbent holding office shall, during the three months
1449 preceding an election in which he is a candidate for reelection or
1450 election to another office, use public funds to mail or print flyers or
1451 other promotional materials intended to bring about his election or
1452 reelection.

1453 (2) No official or employee of the state or a political subdivision of
1454 the state shall authorize the use of public funds for a television, radio,
1455 movie theater, billboard, bus poster, newspaper or magazine
1456 promotional campaign or advertisement, which (A) features the name,
1457 face or voice of a candidate for public office, or (B) promotes the
1458 nomination or election of a candidate for public office, during the
1459 twelve-month period preceding the election being held for the office
1460 which the candidate described in this subdivision is seeking.

1461 (3) As used in subdivisions (1) and (2) of this subsection, "public
1462 funds" does not include any grant or moneys paid to a qualified
1463 candidate committee from the Citizens' Election Fund under sections
1464 9-700 to 9-716, inclusive.

1465 (e) For purposes of this subsection and subsection (f) of this section,
1466 the exclusions to the term "contribution" in subsection (b) of section 9-
1467 333b, as amended, shall not apply; the term "state office" means the
1468 office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State
1469 Comptroller, State Treasurer or Secretary of the State; and the term
1470 "state officer" means the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney
1471 General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer or Secretary of the State.
1472 Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter to the contrary, during
1473 any regular session of the General Assembly, during any special
1474 session of the General Assembly held between the adjournment of the
1475 regular session in an odd-numbered year and the convening of the
1476 regular session in the following even-numbered year or during any

1477 reconvened session of the General Assembly held in an odd-numbered
1478 year to reconsider vetoed bills, (1) no lobbyist or political committee
1479 established by or on behalf of a lobbyist shall make or offer to make a
1480 contribution to or on behalf of, and no lobbyist shall solicit a
1481 contribution on behalf of, (A) a candidate or exploratory committee
1482 established by a candidate for nomination or election to the General
1483 Assembly or a state office or (B) a political committee (i) established for
1484 an assembly or senatorial district, (ii) established by a member of the
1485 General Assembly or a state officer or such member or officer's agent,
1486 or in consultation with, or at the request or suggestion of, any such
1487 member, officer or agent, or (iii) controlled by such member, officer or
1488 agent, to aid or promote the nomination or election of any candidate or
1489 candidates to the General Assembly or a state office, and (2) no such
1490 candidate or political committee shall accept such a contribution. The
1491 provisions of this subsection shall not apply to a candidate committee
1492 established by a member of the General Assembly or a candidate for
1493 nomination or election to the General Assembly, at a special election
1494 for the General Assembly, from the date on which the candidate or the
1495 chairman of the committee files the designation of a campaign
1496 treasurer and a depository institution under section 9-333d with the
1497 Secretary of the State, to the date on which the special election is held,
1498 inclusive, or to an exploratory committee established by a member of
1499 the General Assembly to promote his candidacy for an office other
1500 than the General Assembly.

1501 (f) A political committee established by two or more individuals
1502 under subparagraph (B) of subsection (3) of section 9-333a, as
1503 amended, other than a committee established solely for the purpose of
1504 aiding or promoting any candidate or candidates for municipal office
1505 or the success or defeat of a referendum question, shall be subject to
1506 the prohibition on acceptance of lobbyist contributions under
1507 subsection (e) of this section unless the campaign treasurer of the
1508 committee has filed a certification that the committee is not established
1509 for an assembly or senatorial district, or by a member of the General
1510 Assembly or a state officer, or such member or officer's agent, or in

1511 consultation with, or at the request or suggestion of, any such member,
1512 officer or agent, or controlled by such member, officer or agent. The
1513 campaign treasurer of any political committee established by or on
1514 behalf of a lobbyist shall file a certification to that effect. Such
1515 certifications shall be filed with the office of the Secretary of the State,
1516 on forms prescribed by the secretary, on or before November 15, 1994,
1517 for all such political committees in existence on such date, or upon the
1518 registration of the committee, and on or before November fifteenth
1519 biennially thereafter. The secretary shall provide to the State Elections
1520 Enforcement Commission on or before December 1, 1994, and
1521 biennially thereafter, a political committee registration report. The
1522 report shall include a certified copy of each certification filed pursuant
1523 to this subsection prior to December first of the reporting year and a
1524 certified copy of a list stating the name of each political committee
1525 registered pursuant to section 9-333g, as amended, prior to December
1526 first of the reporting year and the name and address of the campaign
1527 treasurer of each such committee. In the case of any political committee
1528 which registers or files a certification on or after December first of any
1529 even-numbered year but prior to November first of the following
1530 even-numbered year, the secretary shall provide the commission with
1531 a copy of each such registration or certification by the close of the next
1532 business day following receipt. Such registration information or
1533 certification shall also be included in the biennial political committee
1534 registration report of the secretary to the commission. The commission
1535 shall prepare a list of all such committees subject to the prohibitions
1536 under subsection (e) of this section, according to the certifications filed,
1537 which shall be available prior to the opening of each regular session of
1538 the General Assembly, and shall provide a copy of the list to the
1539 president pro tempore of the Senate, the speaker of the House of
1540 Representatives, the minority leader of the Senate, the minority leader
1541 of the House of Representatives and each state officer. During each
1542 such regular session, the commission shall prepare a supplemental list
1543 of committees which register after November fifteenth and are subject
1544 to such prohibitions, and the commission shall provide the
1545 supplemental list to such legislative leaders and state officers. The

1546 filing of the certification by the campaign treasurer of the committee
1547 shall not impair the authority of the commission to act under section 9-
1548 7b, as amended. Any lobbyist or campaign treasurer who acts in
1549 reliance on such lists in good faith shall have an absolute defense in
1550 any action brought under subsection (e) and this subsection,
1551 subsection (c) of section 9-333f, as amended, and subsection (f) of
1552 section 9-333j, as amended.

1553 (g) Each lobbyist who is an individual and, in conjunction with
1554 members of his immediate family, makes contributions to or purchases
1555 from committees exceeding one thousand dollars in the aggregate
1556 during the twelve-month period beginning July 1, 1993, or July first in
1557 any year thereafter, shall file a statement, sworn under penalty of false
1558 statement, with the State Elections Enforcement Commission in
1559 accordance with the provisions of section 9-333e, as amended, on the
1560 second Thursday in July following the end of such twelve-month
1561 period. The statement shall include: (1) The name of each committee to
1562 which the lobbyist or a member of his immediate family has made a
1563 contribution and the amount and date of each such contribution; and
1564 (2) the name of each committee from which the lobbyist or member of
1565 his immediate family has purchased any item of property or
1566 advertising space in a program in connection with a fund-raising event
1567 which is not considered a contribution under subsection (b) of section
1568 9-333b, as amended, and the amount, date and description of each
1569 such purchase. Each lobbyist who is an individual and who, in
1570 conjunction with members of his immediate family, does not make
1571 contributions to or purchases from committees exceeding one
1572 thousand dollars in the aggregate during any such twelve-month
1573 period shall file a statement, sworn under penalty of false statement,
1574 with the State Elections Enforcement Commission in accordance with
1575 the provisions of section 9-333e, as amended, on the second Thursday
1576 in July, so indicating.

1577 (h) No communicator lobbyist, member of the immediate family of a
1578 communicator lobbyist, or political committee established or
1579 controlled by a communicator lobbyist or a member of the immediate

1580 family of a communicator lobbyist shall make a contribution or
1581 contributions to, or for the benefit of (1) an exploratory committee or a
1582 candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or
1583 election to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney
1584 General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer, Secretary of the State, state
1585 senator or state representative, (2) a political committee established or
1586 controlled by any such candidate, (3) a legislative caucus committee or
1587 a legislative leadership committee, or (4) a party committee.

1588 (i) [(1)] No communicator lobbyist, immediate family member of a
1589 communicator lobbyist, agent of a communicator lobbyist, or political
1590 committee established or controlled by a communicator lobbyist or any
1591 such immediate family member or agent shall solicit (A) a contribution
1592 on behalf of a candidate committee or an exploratory committee
1593 established by a candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant
1594 Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer,
1595 Secretary of the State, state senator or state representative, a political
1596 committee established or controlled by any such candidate, a
1597 legislative caucus committee, a legislative leadership committee or a
1598 party committee, or (B) the purchase of advertising space in a program
1599 for a fund-raising affair sponsored by a town committee pursuant to
1600 subparagraph (B) of subdivision (10) of section 9-333b.

1601 [(2)] (j) The provisions of [subdivision (1) of this subsection]
1602 subdivision (1) of subsection (h) of this section and subsection (i) of
1603 this section shall not apply to the campaign of a communicator
1604 lobbyist, immediate family member of a communicator lobbyist or
1605 agent of a communicator lobbyist who is a candidate for public office
1606 or to an immediate family member of a communicator lobbyist who is
1607 an elected public official.

1608 [(3)] (k) Any person who violates any provision of [this subsection]
1609 subsections (h) and (i) of this section shall be subject to a civil penalty,
1610 imposed by the State Elections Enforcement Commission, of not more
1611 than five thousand dollars or twice the amount of any contribution
1612 donated or solicited in violation of [this subsection] subsection (h) or

1613 (i) of this subsection, whichever is greater.

1614 Sec. 527. Section 9-333l of the 2006 supplement to the general
1615 statutes, as amended by section 526 of this act, is repealed and the
1616 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

1617 (a) Any provision of this chapter to the contrary notwithstanding, a
1618 candidate committee may join with one or more candidate committees
1619 to establish a political committee for the purpose of sponsoring one or
1620 more fund-raising events for those candidates. Any individual, other
1621 than a candidate benefited, who is eligible and qualifies to serve in
1622 accordance with the provisions of subsection (d) of section 9-333h may
1623 serve as the campaign treasurer or deputy campaign treasurer of such
1624 a political committee. The statements required to be filed by a political
1625 committee under this chapter shall apply to any political committee
1626 established pursuant to this subsection. After all expenses of the
1627 political committee have been paid by its campaign treasurer for each
1628 event, he shall distribute all remaining funds from such event to the
1629 campaign treasurers of each of the candidate committees which
1630 established the political committee. The distribution to each candidate
1631 committee shall be made not later than fourteen days after the event,
1632 either in accordance with a prior agreement of the candidates or, if no
1633 prior agreement was made, in equal proportions to each candidate
1634 committee. Any contribution which is made to such political
1635 committee shall, for purposes of determining compliance with the
1636 limitations imposed by this chapter, be deemed to have been made in
1637 equal proportions to each candidate's campaign unless (1) a prior
1638 agreement was made by the candidates as to the disposition of
1639 remaining funds, and (2) those who contributed to the political
1640 committee were notified of such disposition, in which case the
1641 contribution shall be deemed to have been made to each candidate's
1642 campaign in accordance with the agreement.

1643 (b) A candidate committee may pay its pro rata share of the
1644 expenses of operating a campaign headquarters and of preparing,
1645 printing and disseminating any political communication on behalf of

1646 that candidate and any other candidate or candidates.
1647 Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of
1648 section 9-333r, a candidate committee may reimburse a party
1649 committee for any expenditure such party committee has incurred for
1650 the benefit of such candidate committee.

1651 (c) A candidate may make any expenditure permitted by section 9-
1652 333i, as amended by this act, to aid or promote the success of his
1653 campaign for nomination or election from his personal funds, or the
1654 funds of his immediate family, which for the purposes of this chapter
1655 shall consist of the candidate's spouse and issue. Any such expenditure
1656 shall not be deemed a contribution to any committee.

1657 (d) (1) No incumbent holding office shall, during the three months
1658 preceding an election in which he is a candidate for reelection or
1659 election to another office, use public funds to mail or print flyers or
1660 other promotional materials intended to bring about his election or
1661 reelection.

1662 (2) No official or employee of the state or a political subdivision of
1663 the state shall authorize the use of public funds for a television, radio,
1664 movie theater, billboard, bus poster, newspaper or magazine
1665 promotional campaign or advertisement, which (A) features the name,
1666 face or voice of a candidate for public office, or (B) promotes the
1667 nomination or election of a candidate for public office, during the
1668 twelve-month period preceding the election being held for the office
1669 which the candidate described in this subdivision is seeking.

1670 (3) As used in subdivisions (1) and (2) of this subsection, "public
1671 funds" does not include any grant or moneys paid to a qualified
1672 candidate committee from the Citizens' Election Fund under sections
1673 9-700 to 9-716, inclusive.

1674 (e) For purposes of this subsection and subsection (f) of this section,
1675 the exclusions to the term "contribution" in subsection (b) of section 9-
1676 333b, as amended, shall not apply; the term "state office" means the
1677 office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State

1678 Comptroller, State Treasurer or Secretary of the State; and the term
1679 "state officer" means the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney
1680 General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer or Secretary of the State.
1681 Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter to the contrary, during
1682 any regular session of the General Assembly, during any special
1683 session of the General Assembly held between the adjournment of the
1684 regular session in an odd-numbered year and the convening of the
1685 regular session in the following even-numbered year or during any
1686 reconvened session of the General Assembly held in an odd-numbered
1687 year to reconsider vetoed bills, (1) no lobbyist or political committee
1688 established by or on behalf of a lobbyist shall make or offer to make a
1689 contribution to or on behalf of, and no lobbyist shall solicit a
1690 contribution on behalf of, (A) a candidate or exploratory committee
1691 established by a candidate for nomination or election to the General
1692 Assembly or a state office or (B) a political committee (i) established for
1693 an assembly or senatorial district, (ii) established by a member of the
1694 General Assembly or a state officer or such member or officer's agent,
1695 or in consultation with, or at the request or suggestion of, any such
1696 member, officer or agent, or (iii) controlled by such member, officer or
1697 agent, to aid or promote the nomination or election of any candidate or
1698 candidates to the General Assembly or a state office, and (2) no such
1699 candidate or political committee shall accept such a contribution. The
1700 provisions of this subsection shall not apply to a candidate committee
1701 established by a member of the General Assembly or a candidate for
1702 nomination or election to the General Assembly, at a special election
1703 for the General Assembly, from the date on which the candidate or the
1704 chairman of the committee files the designation of a campaign
1705 treasurer and a depository institution under section 9-333d with the
1706 Secretary of the State, to the date on which the special election is held,
1707 inclusive, or to an exploratory committee established by a member of
1708 the General Assembly to promote his candidacy for an office other
1709 than the General Assembly.

1710 (f) A political committee established by two or more individuals
1711 under subparagraph (B) of subsection (3) of section 9-333a, as

1712 amended, other than a committee established solely for the purpose of
1713 aiding or promoting any candidate or candidates for municipal office
1714 or the success or defeat of a referendum question, shall be subject to
1715 the prohibition on acceptance of lobbyist contributions under
1716 subsection (e) of this section unless the campaign treasurer of the
1717 committee has filed a certification that the committee is not established
1718 for an assembly or senatorial district, or by a member of the General
1719 Assembly or a state officer, or such member or officer's agent, or in
1720 consultation with, or at the request or suggestion of, any such member,
1721 officer or agent, or controlled by such member, officer or agent. The
1722 campaign treasurer of any political committee established by or on
1723 behalf of a lobbyist shall file a certification to that effect. Such
1724 certifications shall be filed with the office of the Secretary of the State,
1725 on forms prescribed by the secretary, on or before November 15, 1994,
1726 for all such political committees in existence on such date, or upon the
1727 registration of the committee, and on or before November fifteenth
1728 biennially thereafter. The secretary shall provide to the State Elections
1729 Enforcement Commission on or before December 1, 1994, and
1730 biennially thereafter, a political committee registration report. The
1731 report shall include a certified copy of each certification filed pursuant
1732 to this subsection prior to December first of the reporting year and a
1733 certified copy of a list stating the name of each political committee
1734 registered pursuant to section 9-333g, as amended, prior to December
1735 first of the reporting year and the name and address of the campaign
1736 treasurer of each such committee. In the case of any political committee
1737 which registers or files a certification on or after December first of any
1738 even-numbered year but prior to November first of the following
1739 even-numbered year, the secretary shall provide the commission with
1740 a copy of each such registration or certification by the close of the next
1741 business day following receipt. Such registration information or
1742 certification shall also be included in the biennial political committee
1743 registration report of the secretary to the commission. The commission
1744 shall prepare a list of all such committees subject to the prohibitions
1745 under subsection (e) of this section, according to the certifications filed,
1746 which shall be available prior to the opening of each regular session of

1747 the General Assembly, and shall provide a copy of the list to the
1748 president pro tempore of the Senate, the speaker of the House of
1749 Representatives, the minority leader of the Senate, the minority leader
1750 of the House of Representatives and each state officer. During each
1751 such regular session, the commission shall prepare a supplemental list
1752 of committees which register after November fifteenth and are subject
1753 to such prohibitions, and the commission shall provide the
1754 supplemental list to such legislative leaders and state officers. The
1755 filing of the certification by the campaign treasurer of the committee
1756 shall not impair the authority of the commission to act under section 9-
1757 7b, as amended. Any lobbyist or campaign treasurer who acts in
1758 reliance on such lists in good faith shall have an absolute defense in
1759 any action brought under subsection (e) and this subsection,
1760 subsection (c) of section 9-333f, as amended, and subsection (f) of
1761 section 9-333j, as amended.

1762 [(g) Each lobbyist who is an individual and, in conjunction with
1763 members of his immediate family, makes contributions to or purchases
1764 from committees exceeding one thousand dollars in the aggregate
1765 during the twelve-month period beginning July 1, 1993, or July first in
1766 any year thereafter, shall file a statement, sworn under penalty of false
1767 statement, with the State Elections Enforcement Commission in
1768 accordance with the provisions of section 9-333e, on the second
1769 Thursday in July following the end of such twelve-month period. The
1770 statement shall include: (1) The name of each committee to which the
1771 lobbyist or a member of his immediate family has made a contribution
1772 and the amount and date of each such contribution; and (2) the name
1773 of each committee from which the lobbyist or member of his
1774 immediate family has purchased any item of property or advertising
1775 space in a program in connection with a fund-raising event which is
1776 not considered a contribution under subsection (b) of section 9-333b
1777 and the amount, date and description of each such purchase. Each
1778 lobbyist who is an individual and who, in conjunction with members
1779 of his immediate family, does not make contributions to or purchases
1780 from committees exceeding one thousand dollars in the aggregate

1781 during any such twelve-month period shall file a statement, sworn
1782 under penalty of false statement, with the State Elections Enforcement
1783 Commission in accordance with the provisions of section 9-333e, on
1784 the second Thursday in July, so indicating.]

1785 [(h)] (g) No communicator lobbyist, member of the immediate
1786 family of a communicator lobbyist, or political committee established
1787 or controlled by a communicator lobbyist or a member of the
1788 immediate family of a communicator lobbyist shall make a
1789 contribution or contributions to, or for the benefit of (A) an exploratory
1790 committee or a candidate committee established by a candidate for
1791 nomination or election to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor,
1792 Attorney General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer, Secretary of the
1793 State, state senator or state representative, (B) a political committee
1794 established or controlled by any such candidate, (3) a legislative caucus
1795 committee or a legislative leadership committee, or (4) a party
1796 committee.

1797 [(i)] (h) No communicator lobbyist, immediate family member of a
1798 communicator lobbyist, agent of a communicator lobbyist, or political
1799 committee established or controlled by a communicator lobbyist or any
1800 such immediate family member or agent shall solicit a contribution on
1801 behalf of a candidate committee or an exploratory committee
1802 established by a candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant
1803 Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer,
1804 Secretary of the State, state senator or state representative, a political
1805 committee established or controlled by any such candidate, a
1806 legislative caucus committee, a legislative leadership committee or a
1807 party committee.

1808 [(j)] (i) The provisions of subsections [(h)] (g) and [(i)] (h) of this
1809 subsection shall not apply to the campaign of a communicator lobbyist,
1810 immediate family member of a communicator lobbyist or agent of a
1811 communicator lobbyist who is a candidate for public office or to an
1812 immediate family member of a communicator lobbyist who is an
1813 elected public official.

1814 [(k)] (j) Any person who violates any provision of subsections [(h)]
1815 (g) and [(i)] (h) of this section shall be subject to a civil penalty,
1816 imposed by the State Elections Enforcement Commission, of not more
1817 than five thousand dollars or twice the amount of any contribution
1818 donated or solicited in violation of subsection [(h)] (g) or [(i)] (h) of this
1819 section, whichever is greater.

1820 Sec. 528. Subsection (i) of section 9-333n of the 2006 supplement to
1821 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
1822 thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or*
1823 *after said date*):

1824 (i) The State Elections Enforcement Commission shall study
1825 subcontracts for state contracts and, not later than February 1, [2007]
1826 2009, submit proposed legislation for extending the provisions of this
1827 subsection to such subcontracts to the joint standing committee of the
1828 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to elections.

1829 Sec. 529. Section 49 of public act 05-5 of the October 25 special
1830 session is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof
1831 (*Effective from passage*):

1832 The State Elections Enforcement Commission shall study and
1833 prepare a plan that addresses (1) public financing for candidates for
1834 nomination or election to offices of municipalities, and (2) campaign
1835 financing restrictions, including, but not limited to, restrictions on the
1836 sale of advertising space in fund-raising affair programs by candidate
1837 committees for such candidates and restrictions on contributions to
1838 such candidates from communicator lobbyists, immediate family
1839 members of communicator lobbyists, political committees established
1840 by communicator lobbyists, and principals of contractors or
1841 prospective contractors. Not later than January 1, [2007] 2009, the
1842 commission shall submit a report on its findings and
1843 recommendations, including any necessary legislation, to the joint
1844 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of
1845 matters relating to elections.

1846 Sec. 530. Subsection (h) of section 9-333n of the 2006 supplement to
1847 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
1848 thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable to elections held on or*
1849 *after said date*):

1850 (h) (1) Not later than July 1, 2006, each state agency and quasi-public
1851 agency shall prepare and forward to the State Elections Enforcement
1852 Commission, on a form prescribed by said commission, a list of the
1853 state contracts for which the agency is a party and a list of the
1854 principals of state contractors or prospective state contractors for (A)
1855 such contracts, and (B) any bid solicitations, requests for proposals or
1856 prequalification certificates issued by the agency. Not later than
1857 August 1, 2006, and monthly thereafter, each state agency and quasi-
1858 public agency shall forward to said commission, on a form prescribed
1859 by the commission, any changes additions or deletions to said lists.
1860 With the consent of the commission, any state agency may designate
1861 the commission to obtain such information for the purpose of
1862 preparing such lists and any changes, additions or deletions thereto.

1863 (2) Not later than December 31, 2006, the State Elections
1864 Enforcement Commission shall (A) compile a master list of principals
1865 of state contractors and prospective state contractors for all state
1866 agencies and quasi-public agencies, based on the information received
1867 under subdivision (1) of this subsection, (B) publish the master list on
1868 the commission's Internet web site, and (C) provide copies of the
1869 master list to campaign treasurers upon request. The commission shall
1870 update the master list every three months. Any campaign treasurer
1871 who acts in reliance on such master list in good faith shall have a
1872 complete defense in any action against the campaign treasurer for
1873 depositing a contribution in violation of subsection (g) of this section.

1874 Sec. 531. Section 9-713 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes
1875 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
1876 *from passage*):

1877 (a) If the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that

1878 an expenditure is made, or obligated to be made, by a nonparticipating
1879 candidate who is opposed by one or more participating candidates in a
1880 primary campaign or a general election campaign, which is in excess of
1881 ninety per cent of the applicable grant for said participating candidates
1882 for said campaign authorized under section 9-705, the State Elections
1883 Enforcement Commission shall immediately notify the State
1884 Comptroller and said participating candidates that additional moneys
1885 shall be [paid to] held in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for
1886 the benefit of the candidate committee of each such participating
1887 candidate who has not made an expenditure in excess of the sum of (1)
1888 the amount of the applicable qualifying contributions that the
1889 participating candidate is required to receive under section 9-704 to be
1890 eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election Fund, and (2) one
1891 hundred per cent of such applicable grant. The amount of such
1892 additional moneys for each such participating candidate shall be
1893 twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant. [Not later than two
1894 business days following notification by the commission, the State
1895 Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment of
1896 said amount to said candidate committees from the Citizens' Election
1897 Fund.] The [campaign treasurer of each said candidate committee shall
1898 hold said] additional moneys shall remain in escrow until the
1899 commission [notifies the campaign treasurer that it has determined]
1900 processes such payment by voucher, utilizing the State Comptroller's
1901 accounting system. Any such voucher shall be processed by the
1902 commission not later than two business days after the commission's
1903 determination that said nonparticipating candidate has made, or
1904 incurred the obligation to make, an expenditure or expenditures in
1905 excess of one hundred per cent of such applicable grant and the State
1906 Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment,
1907 by electronic fund transfer directly into the campaign account of each
1908 such participating candidate, not later than three business days after
1909 receipt of an authorized voucher from the commission. [Any such] The
1910 commission's determination may be made [by the commission] either
1911 on its own initiative to review the expenditures of the nonparticipating
1912 candidate or upon request [of] for review by any said participating

1913 candidate. Upon receipt of any such [notice by a campaign treasurer,]
1914 additional moneys the participating candidate may spend an amount
1915 of said moneys equal to the amount of such excess expenditure or
1916 expenditures. No participating candidate shall receive more than one
1917 payment of moneys under this subsection for any campaign.
1918 Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, if the State
1919 Comptroller receives a notice described in this subsection from the
1920 State Elections Enforcement Commission within the seven-day period
1921 preceding a primary or an election or if such additional moneys are
1922 held in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for the benefit of the
1923 candidate committee of any such participating candidate on the
1924 seventh day prior to the day of a primary or an election, the State
1925 Comptroller (A) shall not hold any such additional moneys in escrow
1926 within the Citizens' Election Fund, and (B) shall immediately pay such
1927 additional moneys to the candidate committee of each such
1928 participating candidate.

1929 (b) If the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that
1930 an expenditure is made, or obligated to be made, by a nonparticipating
1931 candidate who is opposed by one or more participating candidates in a
1932 primary campaign or a general election campaign, which is in excess of
1933 one hundred fifteen per cent of the applicable grant for said
1934 participating candidates for said campaign authorized under section 9-
1935 705, the State Elections Enforcement Commission shall immediately
1936 notify the State Comptroller and said participating candidates that
1937 additional moneys shall be [paid to] held in escrow within the Citizens'
1938 Election Fund for the benefit of the candidate committee of each such
1939 participating candidate who has not made an expenditure in excess of
1940 the sum of (1) the amount of the applicable qualifying contributions
1941 that the participating candidate is required to receive under section 9-
1942 704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election Fund, and (2)
1943 one hundred twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant. The
1944 amount of such additional moneys for each such participating
1945 candidate shall be twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant. [Not
1946 later than two business days following notification by the commission,

1947 the State Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for
1948 payment of said amount to said candidate committees from the
1949 Citizens' Election Fund.] The [campaign treasurer of each said
1950 candidate committee shall hold said] additional moneys shall remain
1951 in escrow until the commission [notifies the campaign treasurer that it
1952 has determined] processes such payment by voucher, utilizing the
1953 State Comptroller's accounting system. Any such voucher shall be
1954 processed by the commission not later than two business days after its
1955 determination that said nonparticipating candidate has made, or
1956 incurred the obligation to make, an expenditure or expenditures in
1957 excess of one hundred twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant
1958 and the State Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer
1959 for payment, by electronic fund transfer directly into the campaign
1960 account of each such participating candidate, not later than three
1961 business days after receipt of an authorized voucher from the
1962 commission. [Any such] The commission's determination may be
1963 made [by the commission] either on its own initiative to review the
1964 expenditures of the nonparticipating candidate or upon request [of] for
1965 review by any said participating candidate. Upon receipt of any such
1966 [notice by a campaign treasurer] additional moneys, the participating
1967 candidate may spend an amount of said moneys equal to the amount
1968 of such excess expenditure or expenditures. No participating candidate
1969 shall receive more than one payment of moneys under this subsection
1970 for any campaign. Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, if
1971 the State Comptroller receives a notice described in this subsection
1972 from the State Elections Enforcement Commission with the seven-day
1973 period preceding a primary or an election or if such additional moneys
1974 are held in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for the benefit of
1975 the candidate committee of any such participating candidate on the
1976 seventh day prior to the day of a primary or an election, the State
1977 Comptroller (A) shall not hold any such additional moneys in escrow
1978 within the Citizens' Election Fund, and (B) shall immediately pay such
1979 additional moneys to the candidate committee of each such
1980 participating candidate.

1981 (c) If the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that
1982 an expenditure is made, or obligated to be made, by a nonparticipating
1983 candidate who is opposed by one or more participating candidates in a
1984 primary campaign or a general election campaign, which is in excess of
1985 one hundred forty per cent of the applicable grant for said
1986 participating candidates for said campaign authorized under section 9-
1987 705, the State Elections Enforcement Commission shall immediately
1988 notify the State Comptroller and said participating candidates that
1989 additional moneys shall be [paid to] held in escrow within the Citizens'
1990 Elections Fund for the benefit of the candidate committee of each such
1991 participating candidate who has not made an expenditure in excess of
1992 the sum of (1) the amount of the applicable qualifying contributions
1993 that the participating candidate is required to receive under section 9-
1994 704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election Fund, and (2)
1995 one hundred fifty per cent of such applicable grant. The amount of
1996 such additional moneys for each participating candidate shall be
1997 twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant. [Not later than two
1998 business days following notification by the commission, the State
1999 Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment of
2000 said amount to said candidate committees from the Citizens' Election
2001 Fund.] The [campaign treasurer of each said candidate committee shall
2002 hold said] additional moneys shall remain in escrow until the
2003 commission [notifies the campaign treasurer that it has determined]
2004 processes such payment by voucher, utilizing the State Comptroller's
2005 accounting system. Any such voucher shall be processed by the
2006 commission not later than two business days after its determination
2007 that said nonparticipating candidate has made, or incurred the
2008 obligation to make, an expenditure or expenditures in excess of one
2009 hundred fifty per cent of such applicable grant and the State
2010 Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment,
2011 by electronic fund transfer directly into the campaign account of each
2012 such participating candidate, not later than three business days after
2013 receipt of an authorized voucher from the commission. [Any such] The
2014 commission's determination may be made [by the commission] either
2015 on its own initiative to review the expenditures of the nonparticipating

2016 candidate or upon request [of] for review by any said participating
2017 candidate. Upon receipt of any such [notice by a campaign treasurer]
2018 additional moneys, the participating candidate may spend an amount
2019 of said moneys equal to the amount of such excess expenditure or
2020 expenditures. No participating candidate shall receive more than one
2021 payment of moneys under this subsection for any campaign.
2022 Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, if the State
2023 Comptroller receives a notice described in this subsection from the
2024 State Elections Enforcement Commission with the seven-day period
2025 preceding a primary or an election or if such additional moneys are
2026 held in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for the benefit of the
2027 candidate committee of any such participating candidate on the
2028 seventh day prior to the day of a primary or an election, the State
2029 Comptroller (A) shall not hold any such additional moneys in escrow
2030 within the Citizens' Election Fund, and (B) shall immediately pay such
2031 additional moneys to the candidate committee of each such
2032 participating candidate.

2033 (d) If the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that
2034 an expenditure is made, or obligated to be made, by a nonparticipating
2035 candidate who is opposed by one or more participating candidates in a
2036 primary campaign or a general election campaign, which is in excess of
2037 one hundred sixty-five per cent of the applicable grant for said
2038 participating candidates for said campaign authorized under section 9-
2039 705, the State Elections Enforcement Commission shall immediately
2040 notify the State Comptroller and said participating candidates that
2041 additional moneys shall be [paid to] held in escrow within the Citizens'
2042 Election Fund for the benefit of the candidate committee of each such
2043 participating candidate who has not made an expenditure in excess of
2044 the sum of (1) the amount of the applicable qualifying contributions
2045 that the participating candidate is required to receive under section 9-
2046 704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election Fund, and (2)
2047 one hundred seventy-five per cent of such applicable grant. The
2048 amount of such additional moneys for each such participating
2049 candidate shall be twenty-five per cent of such applicable grant. [for

2050 said participating candidates for said campaign authorized under
2051 section 9-705. Not later than two business days following notification
2052 by the commission, the State Comptroller shall draw an order on the
2053 State Treasurer for payment of said amount to said candidate
2054 committees from the Citizens' Election Fund.] The [campaign treasurer
2055 of each said candidate committee shall hold said] additional moneys
2056 shall remain in escrow until the commission [notifies the campaign
2057 treasurer that it has determined] processes such payment by voucher,
2058 utilizing the State Comptroller's accounting system. Any such voucher
2059 shall be processed by the commission not later than two business days
2060 after its determination that said nonparticipating candidate has made,
2061 or incurred the obligation to make, an expenditure or expenditures in
2062 excess of one hundred seventy-five per cent of such applicable grant
2063 and the State Comptroller shall draw an order on the State Treasurer
2064 for payment, by electronic fund transfer directly into the campaign
2065 account of each such participating candidate, not later than three
2066 business days after receipt of an authorized voucher from the
2067 commission. [Any such] The commission's determination may be
2068 made [by the commission] either on its own initiative to review the
2069 expenditures of the nonparticipating candidate or upon request [of] for
2070 review by any said participating candidate. Upon receipt of any such
2071 [notice by a campaign treasurer] additional moneys, the participating
2072 candidate may spend an amount of said moneys equal to the amount
2073 of such excess expenditure or expenditures. No participating candidate
2074 shall receive more than one payment of moneys under this subsection
2075 for any campaign. Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, if
2076 the State Comptroller receives a notice described in this subsection
2077 from the State Elections Enforcement Commission with the seven-day
2078 period preceding a primary or an election or if such additional moneys
2079 are held in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for the benefit of
2080 the candidate committee of any such participating candidate on the
2081 seventh day prior to the day of a primary or an election, the State
2082 Comptroller (A) shall not hold any such additional moneys in escrow
2083 within the Citizens' Election Fund, and (B) shall immediately pay such
2084 additional moneys to the candidate committee of each such

2085 participating candidate.

2086 (e) If the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that
2087 an expenditure is made, or obligated to be made, by a participating
2088 candidate who is opposed by one or more other participating
2089 candidates in a primary campaign or a general election campaign,
2090 which is in excess of the sum of (1) the amount of the applicable
2091 qualifying contributions that a candidate is required to receive under
2092 section 9-704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election Fund,
2093 and (2) the amount of the applicable grant for said participating
2094 candidates for said campaign authorized under section 9-705, the State
2095 Elections Enforcement Commission shall immediately notify the State
2096 Comptroller and said participating candidates that additional moneys,
2097 equal to the amount of such excess expenditure, shall be [paid to] held
2098 in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund for the benefit of the
2099 candidate committee of each such participating candidate who has not
2100 made such an excess expenditure. [Not later than two business days
2101 following notification by the commission, the State Comptroller shall
2102 draw an order on the State Treasurer for payment of said amount to
2103 said candidate committees from the Citizens' Election Fund. A] The
2104 additional moneys shall remain in escrow until the commission
2105 processes such payment by voucher, utilizing the State Comptroller's
2106 accounting system. Any such voucher shall be processed by the
2107 commission not later than two business days after its determination
2108 that said nonparticipating candidate has made, or incurred the
2109 obligation to make, an expenditure or expenditures in such excess
2110 amounts. The State Comptroller shall draw an order on the State
2111 Treasurer for payment, by electronic fund transfer directly into the
2112 campaign account of each such participating candidate, not later than
2113 three business days after receipt of an authorized voucher from the
2114 commission. The commission's determination may be made either on
2115 its own initiative to review the expenditures of the nonparticipating
2116 candidate or upon request for review by said participating candidate.
2117 Upon receipt of any such additional moneys, the participating
2118 candidate may spend an amount of said moneys equal to the amount

2119 of such excess expenditure or expenditures. No participating candidate
2120 [may] shall receive more than one payment of moneys under this
2121 section for any campaign. Notwithstanding the provisions of this
2122 subsection, if the State Comptroller receives a notice described in this
2123 subsection from the State Elections Enforcement Commission with the
2124 seven-day period preceding a primary or an election or if such
2125 additional moneys are held in escrow within the Citizens' Election
2126 Fund for the benefit of the candidate committee of any such
2127 participating candidate on the seventh day prior to the day of a
2128 primary or an election, the State Comptroller (A) shall not hold any
2129 such additional moneys in escrow within the Citizens' Election Fund,
2130 and (B) shall immediately pay such additional moneys to the candidate
2131 committee of each such participating candidate.

2132 (f) If, during the ninety-six-hour period beginning at five o'clock
2133 p.m. on the Thursday preceding the day of a primary or an election,
2134 the commission receives a notice from a participating candidate that an
2135 opposing candidate has made or incurred an obligation to make excess
2136 expenditures that have not yet been reported to the commission, the
2137 commission shall expeditiously review such notice and notify the State
2138 Comptroller, who shall immediately [wire or electronically transfer]
2139 pay moneys from the fund, in the amount of such excess expenditures
2140 confirmed or estimated by the commission, to the qualified candidate
2141 committee of said participating candidate or to any person requested
2142 by the campaign treasurer of said committee.

2143 (g) The maximum aggregate amount of moneys that the qualified
2144 candidate committee of a participating candidate shall receive under
2145 subsections (a) to (f), inclusive, of this section for a primary campaign
2146 or a general election campaign to match excess expenditures by an
2147 opposing candidate shall not exceed (1) the highest amount of excess
2148 expenditures by an opposing candidate during said campaign, or (2)
2149 the amount of the applicable grant authorized under section 9-705 for
2150 said participating candidate for the campaign, whichever is less.

2151 Sec. 532. Subdivision (1) of subsection (e) of section 9-333j of the

2152 2006 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following
2153 is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective December 31, 2006, and applicable*
2154 *to elections held on or after said date*):

2155 (1) Notwithstanding any provisions of this chapter, in the event of a
2156 surplus the campaign treasurer of a candidate committee or of a
2157 political committee, other than a political committee formed for
2158 ongoing political activities or an exploratory committee, shall
2159 distribute or expend such surplus not later than ninety days after a
2160 primary which results in the defeat of the candidate, an election or
2161 referendum not held in November or by January thirty-first following
2162 an election or referendum held in November, in the following manner:

2163 (A) Such committees may distribute their surplus to a party
2164 committee, or a political committee organized for ongoing political
2165 activities, return such surplus to all contributors to the committee on a
2166 prorated basis of contribution, distribute all or any part of such surplus
2167 to the Citizens' Election Fund established in section 9-701 or distribute
2168 such surplus to any charitable organization which is a tax-exempt
2169 organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of
2170 1986, or any subsequent corresponding internal revenue code of the
2171 United States, as from time to time amended, provided (i) no candidate
2172 committee may distribute such surplus to a committee which has been
2173 established to finance future political campaigns of the candidate,
2174 [and] (ii) a candidate committee which received moneys from the
2175 Citizens' Election Fund shall distribute such surplus to such fund, and
2176 (iii) a candidate committee for a nonparticipating candidate, as
2177 described in subsection (b) of section 9-703, may only distribute any
2178 such surplus to the Citizens' Election Fund or to a charitable
2179 organization;

2180 (B) Each such political committee established by an organization
2181 which received its funds from the organization's treasury shall return
2182 its surplus to its sponsoring organization;

2183 (C) (i) Each political committee formed solely to aid or promote the

2184 success or defeat of any referendum question, which does not receive
2185 contributions from a business entity or an organization, shall distribute
2186 its surplus to a party committee, to a political committee organized for
2187 ongoing political activities, to a national committee of a political party,
2188 to all contributors to the committee on a prorated basis of contribution,
2189 to state or municipal governments or agencies or to any organization
2190 which is a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the
2191 Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent corresponding
2192 internal revenue code of the United States, as from time to time
2193 amended. (ii) Each political committee formed solely to aid or promote
2194 the success or defeat of any referendum question, which receives
2195 contributions from a business entity or an organization, shall distribute
2196 its surplus to all contributors to the committee on a prorated basis of
2197 contribution, to state or municipal governments or agencies, or to any
2198 organization which is tax-exempt under said provisions of the Internal
2199 Revenue Code. Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, a
2200 committee formed for a single referendum shall not be required to
2201 expend its surplus not later than ninety days after the referendum and
2202 may continue in existence if a substantially similar referendum
2203 question on the same issue will be submitted to the electorate within
2204 six months after the first referendum. If two or more substantially
2205 similar referenda on the same issue are submitted to the electorate,
2206 each no more than six months apart, the committee shall expend such
2207 surplus within ninety days following the date of the last such
2208 referendum;

2209 (D) The campaign treasurer of the candidate committee of a
2210 candidate who is elected to office may, upon the authorization of such
2211 candidate, expend surplus campaign funds to pay for the cost of
2212 clerical, secretarial or other office expenses necessarily incurred by
2213 such candidate in preparation for taking office; except such surplus
2214 shall not be distributed for the personal benefit of any individual or to
2215 any organization; and

2216 (E) The campaign treasurer of a candidate committee, or of a
2217 political committee, other than a political committee formed for

2218 ongoing political activities or an exploratory committee, shall, prior to
2219 the dissolution of such committee, either (i) distribute any equipment
2220 purchased, including, but not limited to, computer equipment, to any
2221 recipient as set forth in subparagraph (A) of this subdivision, or (ii) sell
2222 any equipment purchased, including but not limited to computer
2223 equipment, to any person for fair market value and then distribute the
2224 proceeds of such sale to any recipient as set forth in said subparagraph
2225 (A).

2226 Sec. 533. Section 1-84b of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes
2227 is amended by adding subsection (k) as follows (*Effective July 1, 2006*):

2228 (NEW) (k) No former Governor shall seek or accept employment,
2229 including, but not limited to, acting as a registrant pursuant to the
2230 provisions of this chapter, for one year after leaving state service, on
2231 behalf of any business that is subject to regulation by any department
2232 or agency of the state or that does business or is seeking to do business
2233 with any department or agency of the state. No business shall employ
2234 a former governor in violation of this subsection.

2235 Sec. 534. Subsection (k) of section 1-84k of the 2006 supplement to
2236 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
2237 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

2238 (k) No public official, spouse of the Governor or state employee
2239 shall accept a fee or honorarium for an article, appearance or speech, or
2240 for participation at an event, in the public official's, spouse's or state
2241 employee's official capacity, provided a public official, Governor's
2242 spouse or state employee may receive payment or reimbursement for
2243 necessary expenses for any such activity in his official capacity. If a
2244 public official, Governor's spouse or state employee receives such a
2245 payment or reimbursement for lodging or out-of-state travel or both,
2246 the official, Governor's spouse or employee shall, not later than thirty
2247 days thereafter, file a report of the payment or reimbursement with the
2248 commission, unless the payment or reimbursement is provided by the
2249 federal government or another state government. If a public official,

2250 Governor's spouse or state employee does not file such report within
2251 such period, either intentionally or due to gross negligence on the
2252 public official's, Governor spouse's or state employee's part, the public
2253 official, Governor's spouse or state employee shall return the payment
2254 or reimbursement. If any failure to file such report is not intentional or
2255 due to gross negligence on the part of the public official, Governor's
2256 spouse or state employee, the public official, Governor's spouse or
2257 state employee shall not be subject to any penalty under this chapter.
2258 When a public official, Governor's spouse or state employee attends an
2259 event in this state in the public official's, Governor's spouse's or state
2260 employee's official capacity and as a principal speaker at such event
2261 and receives admission to or food or beverage at such event from the
2262 sponsor of the event, such admission or food or beverage shall not be
2263 considered a gift and no report shall be required from such official,
2264 spouse or employee or from the sponsor of the event."